

**Wilbur to Make Hickman Repeats  
Inspection of the Andrew Cramer  
Sed Operations Killed the Girl**

**An Automobile Fire.**  
The fire department was called out on a still alarm of fire at midnight Friday for a Buick touring car owned by James White, of Monteville, which caught fire on Huxley avenue, just outside the city limits. The car was quite badly damaged. The driver, who was not hurt, was driving when his hearers started for the show.

**Nothing To Indicate Insanity.**  
Dr. W. D. McNary, psychiatrist and superintendent of the Eastern Oregon Asylum for the Insane, visited Hickman and listened to his story. He observed him from a medical

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## Lutheran Synods Increase Quotas

Original Quotas in \$1,000,000 Pension Fund Voluntarily Increased—Drive to Begin February 5 When Subscriptions From Laity Will Be Received.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 24 (AP).—The United Lutheran Church in America today announced that it has increased its original quotas in the \$1,000,000 pension fund campaign now under way in that body. In some cases the increase has amounted to twenty-five per cent. Those

synods which have not added to their quotas, have only deferred in the interests of a different strategy, that of going far "over the top." A statement of the way in which the various synods have responded to the appeal in preliminary rallies held throughout the United States and Canada has been issued by C. H. Dreshman of Philadelphia, campaign chairman. Mr. Dreshman is highly enthusiastic and declares that he has never before witnessed a similar response. Harry Hodges, secretary of the campaign, can recall "nothing that has ever gripped the denomination so thoroughly." In the oldest and largest synod within the church, the Ministerium of Pennsylvania, the quota has been raised to around \$1,600,000 from the originally accepted \$1,000,000, at

a meeting recently held in Reading, Pa. At that same meeting, 211 pastors subscribed a total of \$25,590 to the fund. Subscriptions for the laity of the denomination will not be received until the week of the actual drive, beginning February 5, 1928. This same enthusiasm has been either equalled or exceeded in every synod of the church.

### Enthusiasm Is General.

"The enthusiasm for an adequate pension fund for the ministry of the United Lutheran Church in America is not confined to a few leaders but to a small section of the synods," the Rev. Dr. Nathan R. Melhorn, recently elected editor of "The Lutheran," official organ of the church, comments.

"Every synod either has gathered

already in a special rally session or has set a time at which one will be held. Furthermore, each section of the church has accepted its share on a quota basis of the total \$1,000,000 and has determined to ask subscribers in excess of the per capita total. In all our church's history no such eloquent testimony to our faithful pastors has been made evident.

"Furthermore, the date agreed upon by a giant committee of 125 representatives at Chicago in November, has been accepted also. This means that the final meeting of local committees will be held February 3, 1928, the workers to gather for public commissioning on Sunday, February 5, and during the week following the actual requests for subscriptions will be carried to every home.

"As a further instance of the favor in which the pension campaign is held, one synod in which unfavorable winter weather sometimes makes communications difficult, became dubious about undertaking an 'every member' canvass in February. But sooner than step out of the ring with the rest of the sister synods, it was determined to discount the possible snow storms by extra provisions. The sun itself ought surely to shine on them if only in a spirit of cooperation."

### Apportionments Increased.

According to Mr. Dreshman, the following synods have already adopted increases in their apportionments allotted in Chicago originally, amounting to as high as 25 per cent: The Ministerium of Pennsylvania; the East Pennsylvania synod; the Susquehanna synod; the West Pennsylvania synod; the Pittsburgh synod; the West Virginia synod; the Ohio synod; the Illinois synod; the Wartburg synod; the Rocky Mountain synod; the Indiana synod; the Michigan synod; the South Carolina synod; the Georgia synod; the Maryland; and the Northwest synod.

The following while not officially reporting a definite increase, have accepted their designated quotas as a minimum with the thought of exceeding them by a wide margin: The New York Ministerium; the Synod of New York and New England; the New York synod; the Allegheny synod; the Kansas synod; the Iowa synod; the Nebraska synod; the North Carolina synod; the Virginia synod; and the Synod of California.

Due to the missionary nature of the remaining synods, no quota increase is expected but the original apportionment has been cheerfully accepted with plans for its attainment far underway in the Texas synod; the Pacific synod; the German-Nebraska synod; the Slovak synod; the Nova Scotia synod; and the Manitoba synod.

### Present and Future Pensions.

The beneficiaries of the pensions will be ministers who have reached the age of sixty-five years and who have served in the synods of the United Lutheran Church at least twenty years, in addition to their widows and their minor children. There are at present 180 retired ministers, 24 disabled ministers, 455 widows and 115 minor children. These are taken care of now by annual cash appropriations for the purpose, totalling approximately \$160,000. This has made available \$300 a year in pensions for each minister, \$200 for each widow, and \$50 for each child under sixteen years of age.

The \$4,000,000 fund will provide enough additional annual income when invested at five per cent to increase the pension from \$300 to \$600 yearly for each retired or disabled minister, from \$200 to \$300 for each widow, and from \$50 to \$100 for each child under sixteen.

Big business and the United States and Dominion governments have long since provided liberal pensions for their veterans even where salaries are high. They have found that it pays. The larger Protestant

denominations of the United States and Canada without exception, have in one way or another made provision for their aged and retired ministers and for widows and orphans. There are in the endowment funds of the various Protestant Boards of Ministerial Relief of the United States and Canada over \$82,000,000, and an equal amount is being asked for in addition. These churches are paying out annually over \$7,000,000.

### Pensions in Other Denominations.

The Presbyterians were the pioneers in this work and began to give relief to those in need over 200 years ago. They now have an endowment of over \$7,000,000 and recently added to it another \$10,000,000 through their Laymen's Committee to make possible an annual pension of \$1,000. The Episcopalians have \$18,000,000 and their pensioners will be half the average salary during the term of service of their clergy, with a minimum of \$500 and a maximum of \$2,000.

The earliest organized beginning in the Lutheran Church was made in 1827 by the then existing General Synod, which included bodies in all three of the groups later merged to form the United Lutheran Church in America. In 1830 the Pastor's Fund was established which is still in existence although transferred for administration to the national body. The present pension plan was inaugurated in 1920, while the proposed fund of \$4,000,000 was endorsed at the last biennial convention of the United Lutheran Church, held in Richmond, Va., in October, 1926. An indication of the enthusiasm that has now become manifest was given at that time, when an additional \$1,000,000 was added to the \$3,000,000, proposed two years before, making the present total.

### CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION OF RONDOUT MANNERCHOR

The annual Christmas celebration of the Rondout Social Mannerchor will be held Monday evening in the rooms on the Strand when the members, both active and passive, with their wives, friends and families will gather around the Christmas tree. Santa Claus will be present and present each child with a stocking filled with goodies. The newly organized orchestra will make its first public appearance and will render old fashioned as well as modern dance numbers. The committee in charge has arranged the following program:

Opening number, "Stille Nacht." Address by President C. Carlson. Song, "O Tannenbaum," by assembly.

Over the Waves Waltz by Orchestra.

"Guess Gott," by Mannerchor. Address by Prof. Neussbaum. Selection by Orchestra.

Das ist der tag des herms by Mannerchor.

Duet, "Sweet Potatoes," by Mr. and Mrs. A. Kreisig.

Recitation by Mrs. C. Carlson.

Duet, selected by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kubicek.

Address by Albert Kubicek.

Selection by Orchestra.

"Robin Adair," by Mannerchor Quartet.

Recitation and Song by Mrs. Haberstrumpf.

Closing number.

Refreshments and dancing will follow the program.

SAUGERTIES TELEPHONE EMPLOYEES CELEBRATE.

The annual Christmas party of the New York Telephone Company employees of Saugerties was held in the company's building in that village Wednesday evening. A most enjoyable time was had and a handsomely decorated Christmas tree augmented the spirit of good cheer and fellowship prevalent. The first

year of the company in the new building was commemorated by a large cake bearing a lone candle, that was placed on the table. A delicious menu was enjoyed by those present, who included P. D. Bryon, Poughkeepsie, district traffic manager; R. L. Clarke, Kingston, assistant district traffic manager; Miss Kathryn

Deegan, Kingston, and those from Saugerties: Miss Mae Malone, chief operator; Mildred A. France, Helen M. Wendell, Elizabeth Peters, Margaret Dale, May Sweeney, Elizabeth H. Rowe, May Hennegan, Edna Reid, Anna Dillon, Minna Doscher, Elsie Johnson, C. S. Menick, Theodore Eckhoff, Leonard Hackett.

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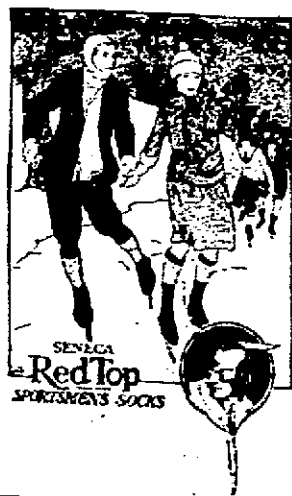
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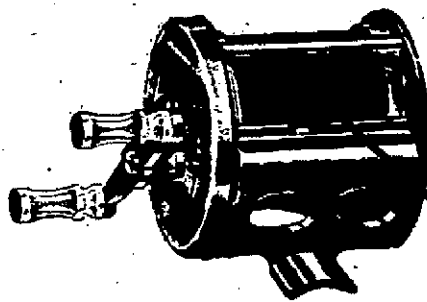
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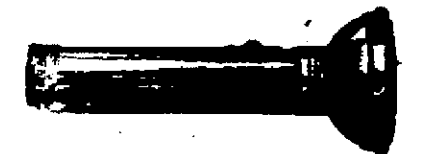
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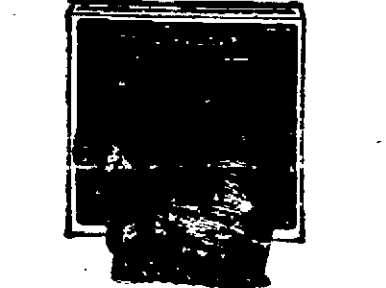
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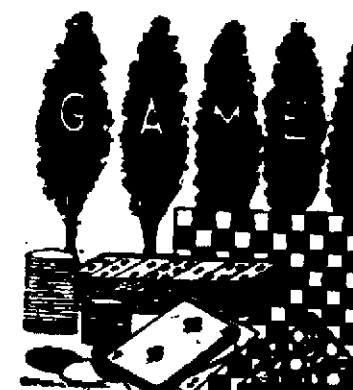
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## Uneven Hemlines in Formal Gowns

Flare, Panel, Scallop Are Used in Fashionable Attire for Winter.

One of the most important features of the winter mode is expressed in the evening gown possessing uneven hemline. The line may vary in its means producing an uneven effect. It may be obtained by a flare that is longer at the sides, front or back. Panels of longer lengths may be the means of producing the broken hemline. Scallop of all sorts of varying sizes may be introduced. It matters not little, the point in obtaining a smart silhouette for the formal gown is to have an uneven hemline.

Dorothy Mackall, featured "movie" actress, whose newest picture, "The Crystal Gaze," permits her a varied wardrobe, wears several charming expressions of the new mode. Included among them is an evening dress which shows uneven hemline. It is of shaded chiffon in interesting scalloped sleeves forming side panels that give a longer line at each side. The foundation is of satin and possesses an ex-

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### ELEANOR GUNN ON FASHIONS

The Felt Hat, With Variations Scarcely Noticeable, Threatens to Go On Forever in

Paris—it seems rather a long time since anything about hats has appeared in this column. This is because there seems so little one can say about them. To sum up the general impression, they are of felt, chic, small, black, and usually untrimmed. Of course, one can go on elaborating on the cut and treatment of the various hats seen.

The statement that all are black, quite obviously, is an exaggeration. Some are gray or beige, so frequently the fur tone. When this is the case, the bandbag should reflect the same tint. Still, the most important hat of the winter, in Paris, is the black felt.

There are little tricks employed in twisting or turning the brim to a new angle. Sometimes, the right brim is elongated, always a rather flattering line, and always the back brim has been turned up or cut away to nothing. Crowns outline the head, and there is sometimes a band of the felt stitched on, to curve over



A Graduated Lacing is Used for the Trimming of the Hat Above. The Hat Itself is of Brown Felt with the Brim Turned Up at the Front and the Crown Trimmings Down the Side in a Lacing of Yellow Beige Felt.

the ears, give the effect a coronet, or in some way elaborate the hat. On close inspection, one finds fine handwork—appliques, inserts, stitching, and so on—but the casual observer sees only that hats fit snugly and conform to the lines of the head, and that they create an impression of simplicity. While America responded to the velvet hat, Paris knows it not.

A few of the grande maisons show hats with their costumes, notably Lanvin, Molyneux, Lelong, and Suzanne Talbot, but this is not the general practice. So far, velvet hats have not been prominent, and there is little to vary the story of felt, felt, and still more felt. Brilliant ornaments contribute an interesting note.

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### Inflicting Pain

Punishment requires the infliction of pain; if we do not inflict pain, we do not punish. Now, the infliction of pain holds a strange place in human psychology. Nearly all of us think we are loath to cause pain—at any rate, unnecessary pain—but it is not so certain that we are. By causing pain it is possible to establish your superiority over another person, to make yourself feel you are his master—and we all like that. Most of us have this under control, but there is still a vestige of that primitive desire to see somebody else suffer before us. Of course, with certain people this is more noticeable than with others. Watch D. Lee in the De-liverer.

## ELEANOR GUNN On Fashions

Martial et Armand Repeat the Jabot Theme in a Variety of One-Sided Effects



The Ensemble from Martial et Armand, at Left, Consists of a Dress of Putty. Flat Crepe with Blouse Pinstucked and Skirt Box Pleated at One Side. A Little Head Embroidery Makes a Triangle That Suggests the Bolero Cut of the Dress. The

Jacket is of Soft Navy Woolen Embroidered in Helge Argon Yarn and Pink and Gold Thread. The Back of the Dress with One-Sided Bolero is Shown.

A Separate Dress, at Center, from This Same House, is of Black Flat Crepe with Jabot Draperies and the

Tunic Skirt as Prime Features. The Collar and Cuffs Are of Heavy Cream Lace.

The Ensemble at Right, Also from Martial et Armand, Presents a Coat of Navy Chamoisette Cut Without Shoulder Seams and Trimmed with

Self Stitching in Curved Lines Following the Front Edges. The Accompanying Dress is of Navy and Cream Printed Crepe, Belted in Blue Patent Leather with a Silver Buckle. Here Again is the Characteristic Jabot Drapery on the Skirt Only.

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### OUR DAILY PATTERN.



A Popular Two Piece Model.

3965—Velvet, satin or more would be very appropriate for this

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This pattern is cut in 6 sizes: 34, 36, 38, 40, 42 and 44 inches bust measure. A 40 inch size will require 1 1/2 yard of 22 inch lining for the underbody and 3 1/4 yards of 46 inch material for blouse and skirt, together with 3/4 yard of contrasting material for facing on collar, cuffs and belt. The width of the skirt at the lower edge with plaits extended is 1 1/2 yard.

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## The KITCHEN CABINET

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Come let us rest awhile. Where placid lakes and tumbling streams Surpass by far the land of dreams And nature wears a smile.

### WHAT TO EAT

The traveler who takes his first trip around the world is amazed to find how the older countries of Europe recognize the value of fish and sea food in the daily diet. In the British Isles even the most modest restaurant includes

fish on the menu of each meal. The Scandinavian countries are noted for their partiality for fish and sea food.

In Paris so particularly are they that in some restaurants live fish are selected by patrons from the pools where they swim about.

In America, however, the land where more and better sea food is produced than any other nation, we eat less.

Any fresh fish may be cooked in a chowder, making a most acceptable

dish. A salad especially good to serve with a fish chowder is cabbage. Shred a small head of cabbage very fine, dress with vinegar, salt, pepper and a little sugar.

Another equally good is shredded cabbage dressed with cream, sugar, a bit of salt and a dash of vinegar.

Fried Corn Meal Mush.—When preparing mush for the supper of mush and milk make enough so that the following morning the mush may be fried for breakfast. Fry in slices and serve with bacon.

Baked Mush.—Butter a shallow baking dish and pile in the mush, prepared with seasoned real chopped hard-cooked eggs also chopped, melted fat and green pepper with broth or gravy to moisten. Bake until crisp.

A nice dish which is liked by to-morrow lovers is prepared as follows. Place slices of bread in the oven and when well heated butter and serve with the seasoned tomato poured over them. Toast may be used instead of the heated bread if preferred.

Autopsy and Egg Benedict.—Remove shells from six hard-cooked eggs, wash and slit the yolks. Finely chop the whites, mix with a tablespoonful of chopped parsley, finely chop six anchovies, add to the egg mixture; moisten with mayonnaise or cooked salad dressing.

Nellie Maxwell

### Men of Light and Learning

There are half a dozen men, or so, who carry in their brains the ovarian eggs of the next generation's or century's civilization. These eggs are not ready to be laid in the form of books as yet; some of them are hardly ready to be put into the form of talk. But as rudimentary ideas or incipient tendencies, there they are; and these are what must form the future. A man's general notions are not good for much, unless he has a crop of these intellectual ovarian eggs in his own brain, or knows them as they exist in the minds of others. One must be in the habit of talking with such persons to get at these rudimentary germs of thought; for their development is necessarily imperfect, and they are molded on new patterns, which must be torn and closely studied. But these are the men to talk with. No fresh truth ever gets into a book.—Oliver Wendell Holmes.

### Nice, Sad Life

"She wouldn't trade places with Mary Queen of Scots," says a fiction story in Woman's Home Companion. "She never was really happy in her life until she was miserable."

### University's Claim

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Monday being a legal holiday, The Freeman will not be published on that day.

Referring to his uncertainty at one point of his flight to Mexico, Lindbergh wrote: "Something went wrong and I guess it was me." Like most of his countrymen, Lindbergh finds it hard to put the same case after the verb to be as before it and say "It was I."

It is announced from a Staten Island office that genealogies formerly sold for \$3.00 will now be supplied for \$2.50, but there must be no controversy or correspondence on the subject of their accuracy. In other words, you can buy a pedigree at reduced rates but there must be no kick coming about any of its features, whether royal baron, robber baron, or thief dangling at a rope's end.

According to one observer, "the typical Democratic leader prefers to lose an election rather than accept a candidate not of his choice," while, on the other hand, "the first concern of the Republican leader is to elect a President and in convention he will swallow a very bitter dose indeed rather than risk party disaster in November." And so, although Smith has twice as many votes in sight as Hoover, the former will have a much harder fight to get the nomination for this reason as well as because of the two-thirds rule.

We read of a Greek "shadow theatre" in a back street of Chicago wherein an amazing young native of Athens manipulates all the puppets, shouts all the speaking parts, and makes the appropriate noises, even firing shots when necessary. He is said to have a repertoire of no less than 140 plays, and in reference to one of them he explained: "I make it short so I can give it in three nights. I start at 9 and finish at 1:30." If that was a "short" one, a fairly long one must hold a fascinated Greek audience for a week or ten days.

## OLD SCHEME IN NEW FORM?

The printing of those doubtful Mexican "documents" by the Hearst newspapers, with the seeming object of stirring up enmity between two nations, has been resented by the heads of reputable journals as doing injury to the newspaper profession. In his testimony Mr. Hearst himself said he did not believe the Mexican government had paid four United States Senators a million dollars to push propaganda in its favor, yet he printed the "documents" which already have been discounted if not actually proved to be forgeries. More significant in its implications than such indifference to the seemingly needless disturbance caused was Mr. Hearst's refusal to give a certain name on the ground that it was the name of an American who owned large property in Mexico.

This points toward the origin of not a few previous disturbances between the two countries. It has been charged that American possessors of large property in Mexico desire the northern part of that country annexed to the United States for obvious reasons and that they are scheming to bring this about. However that may be, it is common knowledge that in one way or another American ownership of a large share of Mexico's rich natural resources has been a source of international irritation. But for this it is probable that there would be little trouble, apart from occasional outrages committed by bandits who seem to be able to defy Mexican authority from the security of their mountain lairs.

## GREEK DRAMA.

Our dramatic critics seem to have joined in a chorus of praise of the "Electra" of Margaret Anglin, who chose to use Sophocles' rather than Euripides' handling of the same theme, although Euripides, the later dramatist of ancient Athens, is supposed to be more "playable" and is more within the grasp of the modern mind. The Greek maiden Electra, no longer young, is in a sense a sort of ancient Mrs. Snyder. She inspires and directs a murder but does not

commit it with her own hands. Bringing up and training her young brother Orestes with the dead ever in his and her view. The person who is to be and who is murdered after elaborate planning is their own mother, Clytemnestra, queen of Argos. Of course Clytemnestra is guilty of a great crime. When King Agamemnon, her husband, came back from the war against Troy she murdered him in the bath. Her pretended excuse was that he sacrificed their daughter Iphigenia to gain success in war; her real excuse was the handsome Achilles with whom she had been too intimate during the years Agamemnon was away.

Miss Anglin's "Electra" is said to be very great, and so it may be, but recollection of a stage production of the "Medea" of Euripides causes us to wonder if as presented to the modern mind, there is enough of the verisimilitude of life. For when Medea, in a jealous rage against her unfaithful husband, Jason (of the "golden fleece"), knifes her little children right there before the eyes of the audience, the monstrous situation did not "get across." The ancient Greek may have been convinced that a woman not insane could do it, but it is too rawly brutal to carry conviction to the modern mind. The chief difficulty of ancient Greek tragedy is that, from our point of view, it contains so much that is inhuman.

## THAT BODY OF YOURS

James W. Burton, M.D.

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SUPPORTING ABDOMINAL ORGANS.

If you were to go into some hospital you would find cases that did not appear to be very sick. The temperature is normal, pulse normal, and they appear to be pretty comfortable generally. However you would see that some of them are lying face downwards with a couple of pillows under the abdomen, others with pillows or supports under the shoulders, the small of back, under knees, and so forth.

What is the idea? There are cases where the abdominal organs have "dropped" due to various causes, and these "supporting" methods, with rest of mind and body, is the treatment advised. As you know any of the abdominal organs may drop. The stomach often swings from the position of nearly crownways in the body, until it is in a perpendicular, straight, or up and down position. You can readily see that this means some climb for food to reach the intestine. In fact it is in these cases that we recommend lying on right side for fifteen minutes, before the next meal is taken, so that anything lying undigested in stomach may syphon into the small intestine, and thus have stomach clear to receive the next meal.

Also loops of intestine that should be held up by a support from the spinal column drop downward, and food and waste remain at the V part of the loop for too long a period, causing delay in digestion, and distress from gas formation.

Now what is the cause of this dropping of the contents of the abdomen? It is usually due to weakness, either hereditary or acquired.

The fact that it is found in girls and young women, and is not common in men till toward middle age, would lead us to believe that women are naturally weaker.

However I believe it is because boys play more than girls. A boy is climbing a fence, and playing games with the other boys, when he is three or four years old. A girl plays "doll" or "jacks," sometimes "tag."

The running and bending that games demand, build up the abdominal muscles of the boy, and these hold him in stead for years after he stops taking exercise.

Then from forty years onward if he neglects exercise entirely, he may have trouble with this "dropping" of the organs of the abdomen.

Surgery has been used successfully in some of these cases, but the supportive treatment described above should first be tried.

For most of these cases, in the early stages, a simple abdominal belt, and the development of the abdominal muscles by bending exercises, touching toes with the knees straight, will be effective treatment.

TWENTY-AND TEN YEARS AGO.

Dec. 24, 1907.—Local physicians met at city hall to discuss smallpox situation in Kingston.

Miss Phoebe Osterhout and Mark C. Snyder married by the Rev. E. M. Kniskern.

Dec. 24, 1917.—Fred Haines and Miss Martha Eltinge married.

Benjamin Rhymmer and Miss Florence Sinnspough married.

Roy L. Brower of Kerhonkson and Miss Lena H. Merrihew married at home of bride in Ashokan.

Donald Rockefeller of German-town and Miss Josephine P. De Nike of Prospect street married by the Rev. John J. Bott.

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## THE MODERN CHILD

By John Cassel



## DAILY LESSONS IN ENGLISH.

By W. L. Gordon.

Words Often Misused: Do not say "I can't go without I have my coat." Say "unless I have."

Often Mispronounced: Dairy. Pronounce da-ri, a as in "day," i as in "it."

Often Misspelled: Tranquillity; two l's.

Synonyms: Letter, note, epistle; missive, correspondence.

Word Study: "Use a word three times and it is yours." Let us increase our vocabulary by mastering one word each day. Today's word: Interminable; having no limit or end. "The long hours of waiting seemed interminable."

## Chip Off the Old Block

While the spelling lesson was going on, the teacher gave the class words to use in sentences. Addressing ten-year-old Junior, the drum major's son, she asked, "Junior, will you use the word banquet correctly in a sentence?"

After deep deliberation and a thought concerning his father's vocation, Junior replied: "When the speaker stepped upon the platform, the 'band-quit'."

## LOOK AND LEARN.

By A. C. Gordon.

1. What well-known character is the creation of Daniel Defoe?

2. When was the earliest dictionary in use and in what language was it written?

3. What city is called "Gotham"?

4. What is the difference between spring and winter wheat?

5. What are the "Gates of Hercules"?

Answers on Classified Ad. page.

## Not Works of Romance

Newspaper men called frequently to the offices of the United States Steel corporation to await for lengthy periods of outcome of official meetings, long wondered why Elbert H. Gary, chairman of the board, apparently was so deeply interested in romance. Volumes of "Romances of History," occupied shelves in office cabinets otherwise given over to business and reference books. A reporter, growing impatient one day, sought to find in "romance" respite from the weariness of prolonged waiting, only to discover that the volumes were merely fabric backs pasted on cardboard, a camouflage for heaps of catalogues, pamphlets and old papers.

## PEOPLE OF OUR TOWN



This Gullible Gink has been Monkeying with an Oulja Board until he's Scared himself Plum Stiff. Ain't science Wonderful when any Common Dub can buy a 98c weala board at the Corner Drug Store and hold Heart-To-Heart confabs with Celebrities like William Shakespeare, Cleopatra and Gyp the Blood?

## Another Christmas

Throughout the centuries, church bells have sounded Christmas greetings on frosty air. Millions of lips, year after year, have uttered the good wishes that the season inspires. And to some folks the greeting has become a formality without meaning.

Yet, in our opinion, the wish never sounds hackneyed when it comes from a sincere heart.

That is why we're not at all abashed at saying

## A Very Merry Christmas

to all our friends—to our patrons and their families; to our employees and our fellow merchants and their salespeople. We extend to them our sincere appreciation for their friendly cooperation during 1927. We wish them all sorts of good things for the coming twelvemonth.

## E. T. STELLE &amp; SON

34 JOHN STREET.

At this joyful season our thoughts revert gratefully to those whose courtesy, good will and loyalty have made possible our progress.

We extend our heartiest wishes for a Merry Christmas and happiness and prosperity throughout the New Year.

STOCK &amp; CORDS

## Greetings of Season!

BEST WISHES FOR A HAPPY AND ENJOYABLE CHRISTMAS THIS YEAR AND FOR MANY OTHERS.

WM. ROSENTHAL

Ladies Tailor and Furrier.

275 FAIR STREET, KINGSTON, N. Y.

## Hail to the Holidays!

Christmas and New Years are occasions of pleasure. May you partake generously!

A. W. MOLLOTT

302 Wall Street,

Kingston, N. Y.

## LOCAL BUS BULLETIN

**ORANGE BUS LINE.**  
High Falls to Kingston.  
Leaves High Falls: 7:45, 9:45 a. m., 1:30 p. m.  
Leaves Kingston: 9:15 a. m., 11:15 a. m., 1:45 p. m.  
Sunday—Leaves High Falls: 9:30 a. m., 1:15 p. m. Leaves Kingston: 11:35 a. m., 2 p. m.  
Saturday night trips the same.  
Will not run on Saturdays.  
Buses leave central terminal 20 minutes earlier than above.

**EAGLE BUS LINE.**  
Kingston to Ellenville.  
Leaves Ellenville: 7:10 a. m., 2 p. m.  
Leaves Kingston: 10:10 a. m., 3:45, 5:15 p. m.  
Sundays—Leaves Ellenville: 10 a. m. Leaves Kingston: 3:30 p. m.  
Leave 8 a. m. on Saturdays.  
Bus stops at Old Hurley, Stone Ridge, Accord, Kerhonkson, Wawarsing, Napantch. Buses leave central terminal 15 minutes earlier than above.

**SAUGERTIES-KINGSTON BUS LINE.**  
Kerhonkson and Haver, Prop.  
Leaves Van Hook Hotel: 7:00, 9:15, 10:00, 10:45 a. m.; 1:00, 1:30, 2:15, 3:00, 4:00 p. m.  
Leaves West Shore Terminal (Central) Kingston: 7:00, 9:15, 10:00, 10:45, 11:00, 11:45, 12:00, 1:00, 2:00, 3:00, 4:00 p. m.  
Leaves Van Hook Hotel (Uptown) Kingston: 8:00, 9:00, 11:00, 12:00, 1:00, 2:00, 3:00, 4:00 p. m.  
Sunday makes time of leaving except 2:15 leaves at 3:00.  
Leaves Saugerties: 7:45, 9:15 a. m.; 12:30, 2:30 p. m.  
Leaves West Shore Terminal (Central) Kingston: 8:15, 10:15 a. m.; 1:15, 3:15 p. m.  
Leaves Van Hook Hotel (Uptown) Kingston: 9:30, 10:30 a. m.; 1:30, 3:30 p. m.  
Saturday night trip leaves Saugerties: 6:15, 8:30 p. m.; Leaves Kingston: 6:15, 8:45 p. m.

**KINGSTON-NEW PALTZ.**  
Arrow Bus Line.  
Leaves Van Hook Hotel: 8:15 a. m., 12:15 p. m., 3:00 p. m., 4:00 p. m.  
Leaves Central Terminal: 7:00 a. m., 10:00 a. m., 12:00 p. m., 3:00 p. m., 4:00 p. m.  
Leaves Kingston (Strand): 7:10 a. m., 10:10 a. m., 12:00 p. m., 3:00 p. m., 4:00 p. m.  
Leaves New Palts Hotel: 8:45 a. m., 11:30 a. m., 1:00 p. m., 4:00 p. m., 5:00 p. m.  
Leaves Port Jervis: 8:15 a. m., 7:45 a. m., 8:15 a. m., 9:30 a. m., 11:45 a. m., 1:45 p. m., 3:10 p. m.

**PINE HILL-KINGSTON BUS CORP.**  
Margaret Bros. Prop.  
MARGARETVILLE, FLEISCHMANN'S, PINE HILL, KINGSTON BUS LINE.  
Buses leave Kingston daily except Sunday: 10:00 a. m., 1:30 p. m., 4:00 p. m., 7:30 p. m.  
The 4:00 p. m. bus leaving Kingston runs west side of river to West Shore and Lawrenceville.  
Buses leave Kingston: 9:00 a. m., 4:15 p. m.  
Buses leave Margaretville for Kingston daily except Sunday: 7:30 a. m. Daily leaves 9:30 a. m. and 3:30 p. m.  
School bus leaves Lawrenceville: 7:00 a. m. Runs west side of river to arriving 8:45 at Kingston.

**WHITE STAR BUS LINE.**  
Kingston to Woodstock.  
Leaves Van Hook Hotel: 7:30, 9:00, 11:45 a. m.; 2:15, 3:00, 4:00, 5:15 p. m.  
Leaves Central Terminal: 8:00, 9:15 a. m.; 12:15, 2:00, 3:00, 4:00, 5:00, 6:00 p. m.  
Leaves Woodstock: 7:45, 9:45, 10:30 a. m.; 1:00, 2:15, 3:00, 4:00, 5:00 p. m.  
Does not leave uptown terminal on Sundays.  
Does not run to Lawrenceville, Blauvelt and Catskill.  
Does not go to Tilton.  
Saturday night schedule: Leaves Tilton 6:30, stopping at Saugerties, High Falls, Wawarsing. Leaves Central Terminal 6:00 p. m. Leaves for night bus at Kingston.

**LONGEARS BUS LINE.**  
Kingston to Woodstock.  
Leaves Kingston: 9:00, 11:00 a. m.; 3:30, 5:30 p. m. (Van Hook Hotel).  
Leaves Woodstock: 9:15 a. m., 10:30 p. m.  
Leaves Woodstock: 7:45, 9:45, 10:30 a. m.; 1:00, 2:15, 3:00, 4:00, 5:00 p. m.  
Bus to West Hurley only to connect with train for Kingston, 10:30 p. m.  
Sunday night special leaves Woodstock 9:00 p. m.; Kingston, 10:30 p. m.  
Sunday night special leaves Kingston 7:30; Woodstock, 7:00; Kingston, 10 p. m.  
Leaves Van Hook Hotel: 10:00 a. m.; 1:00 p. m.; 3:00 p. m.; 5:00 p. m.  
Leaves Kingston: 11:00 a. m.; 1:15 a. m.; 3:15 a. m.; 5:15 a. m.  
Buses stop at Lake Hill, Sand, Lawrenceville, Woodstock, Wawarsing.

See FREEMAN advertising regularly and converse freely and results will surely follow.



**BRASS KETTLE FOR  
CLOSED CHRISTMAS.  
Merry Christmas and  
Happy New Year  
to All.**

**Be a Good Marcelier**  
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## Golden Rule Inn

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Season, December 24.

**New Year's Eve Party**  
with Harold Manning and his  
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Direct from the 44th St. Club.  
**\$15 the couple.**

**CITY OF KINGSTON HOSPITAL**  
Kingston, N. Y.  
Notice of Annual Meeting of Members.  
The annual meeting of the City of King-  
ston Hospital Association will be held at the  
office of the President, James A. Davis, at  
John Street, in the City of Kingston, N. Y.,  
on Monday evening, January 2, 1928, at 8  
o'clock, for the purpose of electing three  
managers for a term of three years, in the  
place of George F. Chandler, Alexander A.  
Stern and George Butterfield, whose terms  
expire; and for the transaction of such  
other business as may properly come be-  
fore the meeting.  
**JAMES A. DAVIS,**  
President.  
**GEORGE F. CHANDLER,**  
Acting Secretary.

## Hickman Issues Crime Warning



WILLIAM EDWARD HICKMAN  
(International News)

Pendleton, Ore., Dec. 24 (AP).—Warning to the young men of America to avoid ways of crime was given by William E. Hickman, in a signed statement given out at the city jail here today. The statement, as he dictated it to City Attorney C. S. Randall, follows:

"This affair has gained nation-wide publicity and the great reward and search by the people of the west coast show opposition of the American people to criminal tendency. Kidnapping and savage murders are the worst of America's crimes and everything should be done to prevent any one from interfering in any way with the liberty and life of American citizen-ship.

"Young men and college students should consider the Parker case as a typical crime of the worst that can happen when a young man gradually loses interest in family, friends and his own honesty.

"The young men of this country can't see that I can pass as an ordinary young man as far as outward appearance go.

"Crime in its simplest definition is to have money without work and enjoy the same place in society as other people and still show no honest effort or intention to go right.

"Young men, when crime has once overcome your will power to be honest and straight, you are a menace to society. Take my example to illustrate this. See how I tried to get what every young man wants, but in becoming a criminal to do so I put my own life in a mess and the way out is dark.

"I hope I can do some good by giving you this warning. Think it over, see my mistake. Be honest and upright, respect the law. If you do these things you'll be happier in the end and you will have gained much more from life.

(Signed)  
**W. EDWARD HICKMAN.**

## Hickman Blames Andrew Cramer

(Continued from Page One)

and professional viewpoint," the doctor said, "and saw nothing out of the ordinary about him. His mind seemed clear and he told a straight, coherent story. He was never at a loss for words. There was nothing about him to indicate insanity.

"I found no outward evidence of perversion. Of course, such perversion and such inclinations are generally hidden and often difficult to detect.

## SEIZE CHAMPAGNE, RUN RUNNERS RECOVER LAUNCH

New York, Dec. 24 (AP).—Marine police today seized a launch loaded with 3,000 bottles of champagne and arrested five men, but after the contraband had been removed, other rum runners stole a march on the police and recovered the launch.

The men who speeded away in the launch had eluded capture when the bluecoats made the seizure. They evidently hid along the Hudson river waterfront and waited until the champagne and prisoners had been taken away. Then, three of the rum runners created a disturbance a block away and blew a police whistle which attracted the lone policeman assigned to guard the craft. When the patrolman rushed to the supposed disturbance two other rum runners jumped into the launch and speeded away.

## CORNELL ROSE DECIDES TO BUY NEW UNIFORMS.

The uniforms of Cornell Rose Company, No. 1, to be worn in the parade here in June, will be furnished by S. Cohen's Sons. It was decided to have the firm furnish the uniforms at a special meeting of the company Friday night. After the meeting a social time was enjoyed around a Christmas tree at the rooms. The tree was furnished by Albert Raichle, Ravine street grocer, and a set of electrical trimmings by Louis Weber, of Weber's pharmacy, downtown, both members of Cornell Rose.

## High Falls Xmas Dance.

A special Christmas dance will be held Sunday night in the P. U. S. Hall, High Falls. A bus will leave the Central post office at 7 o'clock. Harry Malschneider's orchestra will furnish the music.

## 13 "Cramers" Have Been Cleared

Two Brothers Have Been In And Since Last August—Another Brother Has Been Working In Lansdowne

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 24 (AP).—The Los Angeles search for the elusive "Andrew Cramer" ended in William Edward Hickman, confessed kidnaper and accused slayer of Marking Parker, as the actual murderer of the school girl took a new start in life.

The police announced that three "Cramers" who had been investigated had been cleared of suspicion. Two of them, Andrew Oliver Cramer, also known as Kramer, and his brother, Frank Cramer, have been prisoners in the county jail since last August. A third brother, Albert Cramer, has been working for his father in Lansdowne, the police said.

The pursuit of the June Dunning named by Hickman ran up against what the police declared was a blank wall when Frank Cramer told them that a Rose Dunning mentioned by his brother was Frank's wife and that he had never heard of a June Dunning. His wife, he said, had a sister, Mable Dunning, but she had died nine months ago.

The Andrew Cramer in jail, when shown Hickman's photograph, said he had a vague recollection of knowing him and when pressed for the time, declared it was about last June.

The police, however, who have maintained the belief that Hickman was alone in the kidnapping and slaying, has not failed to obtain a satisfactory answer to the puzzling quantity of clues and testimony of witnesses tending to show that Hickman had the aid of associates.

They have not been able to solve the problem of how the youthful "fox" brought into the case the name of Andrew Cramer and the Dunning woman. For the name and description of Cramer tallies despite the iron clad alibi of his jail term.

Considered as perhaps one of the most significant points of possible supporting evidence of Hickman's story of an accomplice was the report last night that a stranger, answering the description of "Andrew Cramer" called at the Herald Hotel in San Francisco the night after Hickman had left there in his northern flight.

The stranger asked for "the man in 502." Hickman's room at the hotel had been number 402. In his confession he had said that he and Cramer were to meet at the Herald Hotel in the Bay City. Hickman has insisted that he had no means of communicating with Cramer.

Just how Cramer, if it were he, had been able to know the number of Hickman's room at the hotel (perhaps confused between 402 and 502) was another puzzling question for the police.



**We wish to extend to our many patrons  
a very Merry Christmas and  
a Happy New Year.**

## L.B. VAN WAGENEN CO.

## Standard Oil at Tientsin Afire

Tientsin, China, Dec. 24 (AP).—The Tientsin plant of the Standard Oil Company of New York caught fire at 11:30 this morning. It was feared that the plant, the largest in northern China, would be a total loss.

The plant with the stocks of oil on hand has an estimated value of \$25,000,000. It is situated across a narrow river from the foreign settlement.

The plant includes six three million-gallon tanks. The fear was expressed that these might explode and cause widespread destruction. The cause of the fire was not determined.

## DODGE PLAYS NEW ORPHEUM THEATRE ORGAN MONDAY

Harry P. Dodge, one of the outstanding musicians in the Hudson Valley, will mark the opening of the new \$20,000 Kilgus organ at the Orpheum Theatre on Christmas Day. Mr. Dodge, who has contracted to play the new organ, will assume his duties for the first with Monday's matinee performance. He has arranged several special Christmas numbers which he will play for the opening, both afternoon and evening.

## Public Hearings Tuesday Evening

Mayor E. J. Dempsey will spend a busy Tuesday evening at the Municipal Building when he will hold two public hearings. The first hearing will be on the two local laws increasing the salaries of the aldermen and the alderman-at-large and the second hearing on the tentative city budget for 1928.

**No Ashes Monday.**  
Owing to Monday being a holiday, no ashes or garbage will be collected that day but the same will be taken up on Tuesday.

**Van Kleeck Motor** is the **SAFE PLACE** to **BUY YOUR CAR**

**Reconditioned Cars at** **Special Reductions** **—For the—** **Holidays**

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Now is the time to buy a good used car, as prices on reconditioned cars are lower than at any previous time this year. Come in today and select your car from hundreds of standard makes and models. Every car is especially priced for the holidays. Take your family for a drive in the country this week end and really enjoy your Holidays. The tremendous sale of new Nash and Star Cars has brought us many trade-ins, which have been carefully reconditioned for the extraordinary Christmas sale. Small cash deposit, balance easy monthly payments. Your car in trade. Free Driving Lessons.

**Van Kleeck Motor & Garage, Inc.**  
10 North Front Street, Kingston, N. Y.



## Bartender's Tip Came Too Late

THIRTEEN men were under arrest today and one "left drink" place in central New York was being only a few minutes from the result of a widespread fire, made through this part of the state late Thursday night by a fire which broke out in a bar.

Discovered by the firemen on an expedition to the bar, located that they were in a little trouble in obtaining liquor at most of the places visited including Jamestown, Yorkville, Franklin Springs, Chittenango, New Berlin, Vernon, Rome, Grasslands and Oswego Falls. Norwich was the last place where liquor was found.

In the town of Oswego Falls, the fire broke out in the bar, when a man rushed in and whispered to the bartender.

"Break up quickly boys," he told them. "I hear city agents just raided a place over here now." The agents arrived, and the bartender was arrested.

That this be the happiest Christmas you have ever had is our sincere wish.

You know your failing? Go light on that Christmas turkey!

'Twas the night before Christmas, and all through the house Not a creature was stirring, not even a mouse, And this was the reason, dear sweet Babette, The house was a new one, and wasn't yet let.

Every time you kick, you lose a step.

The girl's winter costume has made its appearance in this forward looking neighborhood and we notice it includes a skirt.

Don't be consistent at the cost of honesty. It is nothing against you to admit honestly that you are wiser than you were.

Curious: Why do they call sail boats "she"?

Cautious: Because they make a better showing in the wind.

Our deliberate opinion, based on a very wide personal experience, is that no visitor in the home is perfectly satisfactory, at least after the first two or three days.

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## MARLBOROUGH TO VOTE ON BUYING SNOW PLOW

The town of Marlborough may have a new road truck and snow plow this winter. A number of taxpayers have signed a petition requesting that the town board take steps to purchase a truck with a snow plow attachment for \$6,000. The model of truck to be purchased is to have a detachable plow that may be removed in the summer so that the truck may be used in road building. It is said the truck specified would be able to clear the entire town roads of snow in one day. The town will vote whether or not the truck may be purchased on January 10.

## Communion With the Great

Imagine that we had it in our power to call up the shades of the greatest and wisest men that ever existed and oblige them to converse with us on the most interesting topics—what an inestimable privilege should we think it—how superior to all common enjoyments! But in a well-furnished library we in fact possess this power. We can question Xenophon and Caesar on their campaigns, make Demosthenes and Cicero plead before us, join in the audiences of Socrates and Plato, and receive demonstrations from Euclid and Newton. In books we have the choicest thoughts of the ablest men in their best dress.—Aikin.

## Easily Remedied

"There's nothing really wrong with you," said the specialist to the tactful patient, "from a physical point of view. But your nerves are a little frayed. What you need is a holiday apart from your friends and family in some quiet, restful spot where you will be—if I may say so—close to nature, and that sort thing."

"May as well get back to work then."

"Well, I'm a lighthouse-keeper."

## COTTEKILL

Cottekill, Dec. 24.—Mr. and Mrs. Schumaker were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gagne. Fred Latham was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gagne. Mr. Konor has completed a new garage on his premises.

There will be a masquerade dance at Gagne's Hall on Wednesday, January 4. Excellent music will be provided. There will be prizes for lady and gentleman.

## Cuticura Soap and Ointment

11-24-25

## GAS BUGGIES—Homes for Christmas.



## DAILY RADIO PROGRAM

Sunday, December 25.

Christmas day promises so many highlights that dial twister will find it difficult to make a choice. Among a host of other equally fine highlights will be the Atwater Kent hour to go on the air through WEAF and the Atwater Kent hour at 9:15. This feature will consist of both new and traditional carols and songs sung by a mixed quartet made up of Elsie Baker, contralto; Betty Lane Shepherd, soprano; Arthur Hackett-Granville, tenor; and William Simmons, baritone. WOR and the Columbia stations have arranged an unusual feature for 9:00. This will be in the form of a Christmas tree well loaded with musical gifts to be presented by vocal and instrumental soloists and ensembles. At 6:30 the Weymouth Post, American Legion hall will offer an appropriate concert before the microphone of WEAF and the Red net at 9:15. Hackett's "The Messiah," is scheduled for radiation by WJZ and WJAL at 7:30. This latter station will also entertain its listeners at 8:15 with the oratorio, "Story of Bethlehem," by the boys' choir of Old St. Paul's Church.

Black face type indicates best features.

All programs Eastern Standard Time.

### Leading East Stations.

7:25-WPG, ATLANTIC CITY-1100.  
7:30-Community Christmas recital.  
7:35-Loveland's concert orchestra.  
7:40-Christmas music, songs.  
7:45-WBAL, BALTIMORE-1050.  
7:50-Concert orchestra, recital.  
7:55-WJZ, CINCINNATI-700.  
8:00-WJZ, CINCINNATI-700.  
8:05-WJZ, CINCINNATI-700.  
8:10-WJZ, CINCINNATI-700.  
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### Secondary Eastern Stations.

7:30-WEAF, ATLANTIC CITY-1100.  
7:35-WEAF, ATLANTIC CITY-1100.  
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### Monday, December 26.

Merle Alcock, the Metropolitan Opera contralto, will be the vocal star of the General Motors family party to be broadcast by WEAF and the Red network at 8:30 Monday night. This Christmas hour has been divided into three parts. The first, a symphony orchestra will play popular classics; the second will be devoted to light features by the marimba band, and the concluding part will offer a full band playing Christmas music. Merle Alcock will be heard in all three parts. Maria Gambrell will be featured in the first part, singing a symphony orchestra through WJZ and the Blue network at 7:30. Gambrell, who is a famous dancer also has evolved a radio presentation of her own. Her songs, she will be supported by a concert orchestra and vocal ensembles. A matinee high light that will occur immediately after the holiday turkey will be radiated by WEAF, WJZ and the Red and Blue networks. This will be named "Holiday Moods" and will consist of musical descriptions of the way the Yuletide is observed at sea, in England, in the tropics, in the city and in the country.

Black face type indicates best features.

All programs Eastern Standard Time.

### Leading East Stations.

7:25-WPG, ATLANTIC CITY-1100.  
7:30-Dinner music; agriculture talk.  
7:35-Soprano, tenor.  
7:40-Orchestra, soprano, tenor.  
7:45-Three dance orchestras.  
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3:30-Methodist Church service.  
3:35-WJZ, CINCINNATI-700.  
3:40-Organist; hymn sing.  
3:45-WOR, NEWARK-710.  
3:50-Orchestra, choir music.  
3:55-Band, contralto, tenor, baritone.  
4:00-Levin's Sunday music.  
4:05-Columbia hour, featuring Christ.  
4:10-Musical gifts.  
4:15-Columbia Institute hour in program of vocal, instrumental Christmas selections.  
4:20-WJZ, NEW ENGLAND-800.  
4:25-Unity, Congregational services.  
4:30-Roxy with WJZ.  
4:35-Radio vespers; musical program arranged on a Gold hour, ensemble.  
4:40-WJZ, CINCINNATI-700.  
4:45-Harpist, Christmas program.  
4:50-Springfield musical program.  
4:55-Children's hour.  
5:00-Children's hour.  
5:05-Interdenominational service.  
5:10-Young People's conference.  
5:15-Moscow and C. A. program.  
5:20-American Legion band.  
5:25-Capitol Theater program.  
5:30-Atwater Kent hour, featuring Elsie Baker, Betty Lane Shepherd, Arthur Hackett-Granville and William Simmons.  
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7:20-WEAF theater program.  
7:25-WEAF government talk.  
7:30-WEAF Atwater Kent hour.  
7:35-KFKX-KYW, CHICAGO-570.  
7:40-WJZ, CINCINNATI-700.  
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## Christmas Greeting

At this season of the year our thoughts turn to our friends and to our customers, those whose friendly business relations have made possible bigger and better things and we extend to all a most hearty greeting for Christmas and best wishes for the New Year.

**PHELAN & CAHILL**  
WINCHELL AVENUE and SOUTH WALL STREET.

## 55 Miles an Hour and What It Means

State Health Commissioner Nicoll predicts Speed Means and Predicts Motorists Must Use Greater Care or Law Will Limit Speed to 20 Miles.

The new Ford car will increase the hazards to life and limb enormously in the opinion of Dr. Matthias Nicoll, Jr., State Commissioner of Health. He bases this on its advertised speed of 55 to 65 miles per hour which he believes will induce thousands to purchase it. Dr. Nicoll states that during the first nine months of this year 1,666 persons were killed—one quarter of them children—and 61,000 others injured in automobile accidents in New York state—a greater number of fatalities than the combined total due to typhoid fever, smallpox, scarlet fever, infantile paralysis, measles and diphtheria.

Dr. Nicoll predicts that unless the force of public opinion can bring about less speed and greater care in driving, the time will come when

every car in New York state will be equipped with a governor to limit the speed to 20 miles an hour.

Dr. Nicoll's statements were broadcast Friday night from the General Electric Company's station at Schenectady.

"Mr. Ford states that by January 1 the output of his new model will be 1,000 per day and that it won't be long before even this enormous production will be greatly increased," said Dr. Nicoll.

"You are probably wondering why this is of interest to the state commissioner of health. Under the law it is his duty to take cognizance of anything which may affect the life and health of the citizens of New York state and Mr. Ford's advertisements emphasize the fact that his new car can do 55 to 65 miles an hour.

"There is only one reason for advertising this feature—that is to sell more cars. In other words many people are going to purchase this machine largely on account of its speed. Now what does that mean—just so many thousands more death dealing vehicles on our highways.

"In the first nine months of this year one thousand six hundred and sixty-six lives were snuffed out in this state by automobiles and more than one-quarter of this appalling total were children. In addition more than 61,000 persons were injured. Railroad accidents on the other hand caused only 366 fatalities and street car accidents resulted in only 99.

**Deaths by Auto and Disease.**

"This large number of deaths due to automobiles exceeded the combined total of deaths in this state caused by typhoid fever, smallpox, scarlet fever, infantile paralysis, measles and diphtheria. If tomorrow I should tell any one of the parents listening to me tonight that one of these diseases was epidemic in his community, he would immediately take every precaution to protect his children; yet how many of you appreciate that the speed epidemic which is constantly before your eyes is far more liable to kill your child than one of the communicable diseases. What does it avail the state of New York and all of the cities, towns and villages to spend large sums of money to prevent disease only to have the people killed by automobiles.

"Analysis by the state motor vehicle bureau of the reasons for accidents shows that the two greatest causes of fatal accidents were exceeding the speed limit and driving off the roadway. Perhaps the drivers in the latter instances were not exceeding the legal speed limit but this does not signify they were not going too fast under the particular conditions confronting them. There is usually no reason for a car going off the road unless the driver is proceeding at an improper speed.

"Speed, speed, and yet more speed! This is the day for speed and now Mr. Ford is quoted as saying that he won't be satisfied until a family of six owns six cars—and his cars can go 55 miles per hour.

"I don't mean to say that there is not often contributory carelessness on the part of the pedestrian. There is; but remember that of those killed and injured this year from January 1st to September 30, 25 per cent were children and children cannot be expected to be careful.

**Motorists and Locomotive Engineers.**

"Railroad engineers are required to pass rigid physical examinations before employment and they drive locomotives running on tracks with a well defined right of way. Yet they rarely exceed a speed of 50 miles an hour. On the other hand despite all the efforts of the state to prevent it many are driving automobiles today who are physically unfit. The thorough examination of the hundreds of thousands of applicants for drivers' licenses is a practical impossibility, but every such applicant is required to swear to a statement that he is physically competent. However, perjury seems to mean little to many people and repeated instances of licensed drivers afflicted with heart disease or epilepsy have come to the attention of the state motor vehicle bureau and in every such case the license has been revoked. Both of these conditions are easily concealed and it is virtually impossible to discover them if the applicant wishes to hide the facts. Any one knowing of a motor vehicle operator who suffers from any disabling physical affliction should immediately notify that bureau giving full information of the facts in order that an investigation may be made. Such persons imperil the lives of thousands of people every day.

**Drivers Must Wake Up.**

"Many of those listening to me tonight are drivers. Just a word of warning to you—The state of New York cannot permit the wholesale slaughter of innocent lives to go on. Unless you wake up to the situation and drive at conservative speeds I predict the time will come when every car in this state will be equipped with a governor to prevent a speed greater than 20 miles an hour. When that time comes you'll all protest that the just are being made to suffer for the sins of the unjust but the only way I can see of forestalling this action by the state is through the force of public opinion in creating a demand for less speed and greater care. No longer can the Empire State countenance the loss of six lives and the maiming of 225 persons every day."

**TIME TABLE OF ULSTER & DELAWARE R. R.**

Effective October 22, 1927

Trains are due to leave this city as follows:

Rondout Station 11:30 p. m.  
Union Station 7:40 a. m.; 12:25 p. m.  
Trains are due to arrive as follows:  
Union Station 11:30 a. m.; 4:45 p. m.  
Rondout Station 11:30 a. m.; 4:45 p. m.  
\*Daily. \*Daily except Sunday.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The First National Bank of Rondout, for the election of directors, will be held at the banking house, No. 10 Broadway, in the City of Kingston, on Tuesday, January 10, 1928, between the hours of 11 a. m. and 12 noon.

## DETROIT PHILANTHROPIST HAS GOOD WAY TO HELP BOYS

Extends Aid in Financing Them in Personally Conducted Trip to Alaska.

DETROIT, Mich.—There are many so-called odd people in the world who are intensely interested in doing something that few other people strive to do. If they were not considered odd, with their various hobbies, the world would be at a standstill. They go out and achieve; they go out and die; and all the while the world applauds if they win, and throws a wreath on the waters if they lose. One of these odd people with an idea of value to the human race is George E. Buchanan, a Detroit bachelor, who has no sons of his own, but who is so much interested in the rising generation that already he has personally conducted journeys to Alaska for 217 boys, and will take 50 or 60 on the next cruise to Alaska the last week in June, 1928. He is not a tourist agent.

Buchanan went to Detroit from Canada, a poor boy, and he is now very prosperous. Detroit has helped to make a lot of rich men and Buchanan is one of them. When he was a boy in Canada he saved his pennies so that he could go to Europe. Lacking the full amount, a kindly Scotch shipmaster advanced the remaining funds needed. Buchanan had a fine trip to Europe, and he then declared that if he ever became prosperous he would encourage boys to earn and save money for things worth while, including a trip to Alaska. Remembering the Scotch shipmaster's friendly advance, Buchanan laid out a trip to Alaska and formulated the following plan to give the boys a very useful business training and an Alaskan trip which they would enjoy.

The boy must earn one-third of the cost of the trip (\$125) in his home town, whether Detroit or any other city in the United States or Canada; the second third was to be contributed by his parents; and the remaining third was to be advanced by Buchanan to the boy, to be returned without interest when the lad was able to do so. Whenever a boy returned his one-third, this sum was to be reinvested to take another boy to Alaska. This plan has worked out very well and Buchanan has made arrangements whereby the money returned by the boys will be placed in a fund to be used in sending others to Alaska after he has passed on. He goes with them each trip to see that they are well cared for. Boys from eleven to nineteen are taken, but he much prefers the younger ones, because they are more eager to see and to learn.

"Any good healthy boy who will do his part may go," Mr. Buchanan declares. No security is taken for the \$125 advanced except honor. A doctor is taken along to safeguard the health of the party. Buchanan is willing to tell boys how they may earn their money provided they write to him in Detroit for details.

The boys see the scenic wonders of Banff, Lake Louise and the Canadian Rockies, the big trees of Vancouver, and the beauties of the inland passage from Vancouver to Skagway, Alaska, by "Princess" steamers. By rail they go to White Horse, Carcross and Atlin, pan for gold and see the glaciers and a thousand and one additional attractions on the way to and from Alaska. "They get up at 5 a. m. to pan gold," Buchanan says. "All of them get dust, and now and then one of them finds a nugget. Ticked? Yes—and pluk!"

## Honors Paid Printers of U. S. Constitution

Philadelphia.—After a century and a quarter of obscurity, the two printers who first printed the Declaration of Independence, the Constitution of the United States, Washington's farewell address, and the first daily newspaper in America were honored recently when a bronze tablet was unveiled in their memory. They were Capt. John Dunlap and Lieut. David C. Claypoole, soldiers of the Revolution.

They conducted the print shop of Dunlap & Claypoole on the site of what is now 124 and 126 Market street. The property now is owned by the Horn & Hardart Baking company, and the tablet commemorating the services of the colonial printers was placed by the Historical Society of Pennsylvania with appropriate exercises.

Dunlap & Claypoole were the official printers to congress and personal friends of Washington. As officers in the American Revolutionary army and practical newspaper men, they were said to have exercised great power in molding the public opinion of their day.

## Sergeant Sings Self Into Court and Out Again

London.—A sergeant of the Royal Ulster Rifles sang himself into a court-martial and then sang himself right out again.

The "sarge" was singing funny songs in the mess and making fun of his faces. His hard-hearted sergeant-major decided that the comedian must be drunk and brought him before an august court.

The singer denied being drunk but pleaded guilty to having a funny face. He was permitted to sing in his own defense.

So the sergeant sang a little song about an old Mrs. Riley and the judges quit laughing only long enough to dismiss the case.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The First National Bank of Kingston, for the election of directors, will be held at the banking house, No. 10 Broadway, in the City of Kingston, on Tuesday, January 10, 1928, between the hours of 11 a. m. and 12 noon.

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# Christmas Services In Local Churches

Sermon Themes and Musical Programs for Sunday Services to Be Appropriate to Christmas Season—Christmas Activities Will Continue Throughout the Week—Large Congregations Expected at Services.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 151 Fair street. Sunday service at 11 a. m. Subject, Christian Science. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Testimonial meeting Wednesday evening at 7:45. Reading room at 49 John street.

All Saints' Episcopal Church, Rosendale, the Rev. James G. Cameron, rector. Holy Communion 8 a. m. and 10:45 a. m. (with sermon). Eucharist and Christmas tree for church school at parish house on Thursday, December 29, at 7:30 p. m. All are cordially invited.

Emanuel Baptist Church, 151 East Union street, the Rev. C. H. King, pastor. 5 a. m. song and prayer service. 11 a. m. sermon subject, "A Child Born Unto Us This Day." 12:30 p. m. Sunday school. 6:30 p. m. B. Y. P. U. 7:30 p. m. sermon subject, "A Star in the East." Tuesday, 7:30 p. m. the Christmas tree and Christmas exercises will be held and the children will also be entertained by Santa Claus. Everyone is invited.

Holy Cross Church, Pine Grove avenue, near Broadway, the Rev. Gregory Mabry, rector. Services for Christmas Day: 11:30 a. m. (Christmas Eve) Carols, followed by solemn high midnight Mass for Holy Communion. 7:30 a. m. Mass for Communion. 10:30 a. m. high Mass and sermon for children. Weekday services: Mass daily at 7:30 a. m. Friday at 9:00 a. m. Monday is the feast of St. Stephen, Martyr; Tuesday is the feast of St. John the Evangelist; Wednesday is the feast of the Holy Innocents. Music has already been published.

The Ponckhockie Congregational Church, the Rev. F. W. Mott, pastor. Divine worship at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning theme: "The Christmas Melody." Evening, "Why Did Christ Come?" The choir will render special Christmas music. Bible school at 11:45 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:45 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday at 7:30 p. m. On Wednesday evening a family supper will be served from 6 to 7:30, after which the annual meeting of the Bible school and congregation will be held.

Franklin Street A. M. E. Zion Church, the Rev. E. O. Clarke, pastor. Services for Christmas Sunday will be as follows: The regular Sunday morning class will be held at the usual hour. It is hoped that, as many as possible will attend this class. 11 o'clock morning worship; subject, "Eye Witnesses"; Christmas sermon. 12 m. Sunday school; all children are expected to be present. At 3 p. m. the children's Christmas exercise will be held. On Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock the Christmas tree exercise will be held at the hall. All are invited.

Free Methodist Church on Tremper avenue between Downs and O'Neil streets, the Rev. A. B. Collier, pastor. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching service at 11 a. m. Sermon theme, "His Name Wonderful." Evening worship at 7:30. Sermon topic, "The Divine Christmas Gift." Regular prayer and class meeting Thursday evening at the home of the pastor, 19 Downs street, at 7:45. The Christmas exercises of the Sunday school will be held at the church Friday evening, December 29, at 7:45. Everyone welcome to all of these services.

Lutheran Church of the Redeemer, corner Wurts and Rogers streets, the Rev. O. E. Brandorff, pastor. Prof. Frederick Richens, organist and choir-master—Christmas day services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Graded Sunday school, 11:45 a. m. Mr. J. Messenger, superintendent. The Sunday school will hold their Christmas service on Christmas eve at 7 p. m. The music:

Pastorale Symphony.....Handel  
Pastorale in A.....Gullmunt  
Postlude.....Handel  
Anthem—There Were Shepherds.....Birch

7:30.  
Mauder's Christmas Cantata will be sung by the choir and assisting soloists.

Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church, the Rev. George Lindsay Withers, minister. 7 a. m. morning service with the administration of the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. 10, Sunday school. 11, morning worship and Christmas sermon. 7:30, evening worship. At this service the pageant, "The Light of the World," will be given. To this as to all other services everyone is invited. Let Christ be in your Christmas. Musical service.

MORNING.  
Prelude, Nazareth.....Gounod  
Anthem, Hark! What Mean Those Holy Voices?.....Steupe  
Offertory Solo, "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear".....Harker  
Miss Jessie M. Cowley.  
Christmas Postlude.....Best

St. Paul Lutheran Church, the Rev. Carl A. Komoser, pastor. Services held temporarily in the Odd Fellows Hall, Broadway and Brewster street. Christmas service at 10:30, with the sermon theme: "Let Us Go Unto Bethlehem and See This Thing Which Has Come to Pass, for God's Son Has Been Sent You This Night, to be Your Redeemer, Your Joy, Your Delight." At 7:30 the combination of 1926 school Christmas program will take place. On Tuesday evening the Good Will School

Christmas party will take place at Weber's Hall on Broadway. The cornerstone of our new church on Hasbrouck avenue, near East 15th street, will be laid on January 15, at 2 o'clock. Holy Communion will be celebrated on the first day of the new year. The music:

10:30.  
Anthem—Sing, O Heavens, There Were Shepherds.....7:30.  
Anthem—There Were Shepherds.....Spence

Fair Street Reformed Church, the Rev. F. B. Seelye, D. D., pastor. Divine worship Sunday morning 10:30 o'clock. Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed. Address at the table, subject, "The Group Around the Cradle." Infants will be baptized and new members received. No evening service. Christian Endeavor will be omitted. Mid-week prayer service Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Special Christmas music as follows:

Organ Prelude—The Bells of St. Ann  
Anthem—There Were Shepherds.....Foster  
Hymn—O Come All Ye Faithful.....Oakley  
Solo—Good Tidings of Great Joy.....Densmore

Mrs. Weeks  
Hymn—Hark! the Herald Angels Sing.....Mendelssohn  
Carol—A Babe Lies in a Cradle.....Dickinson  
Offerory Carol—In Bethlehem's Manger Lowly.....Dickinson  
Postlude in D.....Handel-Mason

Immanuel Evangelical Lutheran Church, Livingston street, the Rev. E. L. Witte, pastor. Christmas Day a German festival service will be held at 10:30 a. m. The old Gospel, as recorded in Luke 2 will furnish the text for the festival sermon. The choir will render a selection, and the congregation will join in the singing of the old German Christmas carols. Monday afternoon at 2:30 the various societies of the church will hold a Christmas celebration for the inmates of the Kingston City Home on Flatbush avenue. The members of the church are urged to participate; kindly bring your hymnals with you. Monday, at 7:30 p. m. the Junior Society will meet. The meeting will be followed by a Christmas party. Thursday, at 2 p. m. meeting of the Sewing Circle. The hostess will be Mrs. Fred Studdt, 65 Moore street. Friday at 8 p. m. the meeting of the Men's Club. New Year's Eve, the time-honored German "Sylvester" service will be held at 7:30 p. m. The same evening at 8:30 the Rev. Arthur Boll will preach a sermon for the deaf-mutes of Kingston and vicinity. He will also interpret the signs in English. The public is cordially invited to this impressive service.

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church, Spring and Bone streets, the Rev. William H. Wettsch, pastor. Christmas day services: 9 a. m. German services with holy communion. All German speaking members invited to receive the Lord's Supper. 10 a. m. English Sunday school. All children welcome. 11 a. m. English service with Lord's Supper. All members invited to partake of holy communion. Thursday night get-together meeting of the Brotherhood. All members are urged to be present at this important gathering. There will be no confirmation lessons and no Wednesday afternoon Bible school until the last night of the old year; the new year of the old year, 7:30 o'clock. Of special interest to all the German speaking members and friends will be the singing of the German Christmas carols by the congregation. These German Christmas songs lie closely to the hearts of all German Christians. Members, friends, and strangers are cordially invited to close the year with us at this New Year's Eve service in German. If you have a homesick longing for the German Christmas spirit, which is gradually dying out, come with your entire families to this service and let fond recollections of your childhood Christmas days, sweeten your present life.

St. Mark's A. M. E. Church, Foxhall avenue, the Rev. J. M. Proctor, pastor. The services on Sunday will be of an extra character, it being Christmas. As there will be no 5 a. m. service, the friends and members are asked to be present promptly at 10:45 a. m. when the pastor will preach upon the subject, "God with us." The class meeting will follow at 12:30. The Sunday school will devote the best part of their hour to rehearsing the select music for the Christmas tree exercises which takes place Thursday evening, December 29, when there may be expected a varied program, interesting, instructive and full of "pep," after which the teachers will distribute the presents to the children. No admission will be charged at the Christmas exercises. On Sunday, however, a liberal Christmas offering will be expected of each member and friend as an expression of gratitude to God. Special subject Sunday night. Watchmeeting exercises will be held Saturday night, December 31, beginning at 10 p. m. when the Rev. S. C. Newitt of Chatham will be present and help conduct the service. The week of January 1 will be devoted to revival service. The members as well as all others are asked to arrange their affairs as to make

it possible to attend the exercises each evening. All soul winners are cordially invited in advance to attend.

St. James M. E. Church, the Rev. J. Wilbur Teley, minister. The sunrise Communion service will be omitted. Morning worship will be held at 10:30, at which time the Communion will be celebrated. Sunday school meets at 11:45. Evening worship at 7:30. The message will be on "The Meaning of Christmas." On Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock the Cradle Roll and Primary Department will have their Christmas. There will be a tableau on "The Birth of Christ," also a Christmas tree and presents. In the evening at 8 o'clock the Sunday school will have its Christmas in the church auditorium. A Christmas pageant will be presented. Afterward the school will retire to the Sunday school room for a treat and a good time. Musical program:

MORNING.  
Prelude—"Grand Choeur".....Rogers  
Anthem—"Rejoice in the Lord".....Hollins  
Solo—"The Night Song of Bethlehem".....D. Buck  
Miss Messenger.  
Anthem—"There Were Shepherds".....Stearns  
Postlude—"Gloria".....West

EVENING.  
Prelude—"Hosanna".....Wachs  
Anthem—"Sing, O Heavens".....Stearns  
Solo—"Gloria to God in the Highest".....Harker

Mr. Rifenbary.  
First Baptist Church, Albany avenue, the Rev. Arthur S. Cole, pastor. Christmas morning service at 10:30; sermon topic, "The Pioneer of Life." Bible school session at 11:45 a. m.; Christmas evening service at 7:30; sermon topic, "The House of Christmas." Special Christmas music under the direction of Mrs. Asenath Hayes, with Mrs. Lester E. Decker, organist; Miss Lillian M. Healy, pianist, and Mrs. Florence W. Cumberley, violinist. Musical program:

MORNING.  
Prelude—Trio for violin, piano and organ—Meditation.....Mistake  
Anthem—"The People That Walked in Darkness".....Galbraith  
Tenor solo—"The Infant Jesus".....You  
Mr. Bonesteel.  
Contralto solo—"The Hush of the Night".....Hath Fallen.  
Mrs. Gray.  
Violin solo—A Romance.....d'Ambrosio

Mrs. Cumberley.  
Postlude—Adeste Fideles.....Reading  
EVENING.  
Prelude—Christmas Pastoral, from Herald Angels.....Dinelli  
Anthem—Angels from the Realm of Glory.....Shelley  
Baritone solo—"The Voice of the Chimes".....Hahn  
Mr. Brigham.  
Anthem—Christmas Bells.....Forsyth  
Violin solo—A Poem.....Fibish  
Mrs. Cumberley.  
Postlude—Shepherd's Carol.....Chubb

Wurts Street Baptist Church, the Rev. Charles B. Smith, D. D., minister. Morning worship at 10:30 o'clock, Christmas sermon by the pastor. Topic, "The Spirit of the Christmas Season." The whole service will be a Christmas day celebration. The Bible school following will continue the celebration. An appropriate program will be given. The Free brothers will render several musical selections. Musical program for the morning service is as follows:

Prelude—Hark the Herald Angels Sing, Paraphrase.....Mendelssohn  
104 Hymn—As With Gladness Men of Old.  
Anthem—All Hail The Joyful Morn  
Adams  
Anthem—Heaven's Melodious Strains  
Lorenz  
Soprano Solo—O Little Town of Bethlehem.....Dressler  
Miss Jeanette Grimes.  
Hymn—Joy to the World.....Handel  
Selection by Bentley and Lawrence Jensen.  
107 Hymn—Hail Thou Long Expected Jesus.....Mason  
Postlude—Hosanna.....Wachs

Lawrence Jensen, violin and Bentley Jensen, cornet, will assist at the morning service. There will be no evening services in the church Christmas day. The Bible school will hold its entertainment including a Christmas tree and distribution of presents by Santa on Wednesday evening, the 28th. Mid-week service at 7:45 p. m. Thursday.

First Presbyterian Church, Elmen-dorf street, the Rev. Putnam Cady, D. D., pastor. Christmas services: Morning, 10:30. Sermon, "The Spirit of Christmas." Sunday school at 11:45. Vesper service at 5. The Christmas message will be presented in song and story by the Sunday school assisted by a large choir. At the close, the manger scene will be represented by the Intermediate Department. A beautiful lighting effect will add to the devotional atmosphere. At the morning service a large vested choir will give the following musical program:

Organ Prelude, "Chorus of Angels.".....Clark  
Anthem, "Sing, O Heavens, There Were Shepherds".....Harker  
Soprano Solo, "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear".....Harker  
Miss Rand.  
Offertory, "Cantique de Noel.".....Adam  
Anthem, "Sing, O Sing this Blessed Morn".....Neidlinger  
Violin Solo, "Old Melody".....Drorak  
Mr. Zellif.  
Postlude, "Grand Choeur in C".....Maitland

At the vesper hour, in addition to the carols with the school, the choir will give the following numbers: Organ Prelude, "Offertoire in E Flat".....Batiste  
Anthem, "While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks".....Neidlinger  
Offertory, "Adeste Fideles".....Whiting  
Violin Solo, "Air on the G String".....Back  
Postlude, "Tannhauser March".....Wagner  
Rondout Presbyterian Church, the Rev. Charles G. Ellis, Ph.D., pastor. Morning service 10:30, a Christmas carol service, participated in by church congregation and Bible

school. Subject of the Christmas sermon, "The Ambassador of Good-will." At the 5 o'clock vesper service the augmented choir will render the cantata—"The Story of Bethlehem" by John E. West. Musical program:

MORNING 10:30.  
Prelude—"Cantique de Noel" (Holy Night).....Adam  
Anthem—"Gloria to God in the Highest" from cantata, "The Word Made Flesh".....Shepherd  
Offertory Solo—"Star of the Orient".....Shelley  
Miss Los Kamp.  
Postlude—Nazareth.....Gounod

VESPER SERVICE, 5 O'CLOCK.  
Prelude—"Christmas Offertory".....Hoamer  
Midnight on the Judean Plains.  
Holy Night.  
Song of the Shepherds.  
At the Manger Cradle.  
Song of the Shepherds.  
Solo—"The Holy Child".....Easthope Martin  
Miss Los Kamp.  
Cantata—"The Story of Bethlehem".....John E. West  
Offertory Solo—"Silent Night, Holy Night".....Miss Los Kamp.  
Postlude—"Christmas March".....Flieger

Mrs. Henry F. Dunbar, solo soprano; Miss Virginia Los Kamp, solo contralto and director; Roscoe A. Paul, solo tenor; Harold S. Brigham, solo baritone; Mrs. Harry G. Smith, organist; the Rev. Charles G. Ellis, Ph.D., pastor.  
Reformed Church of the Comforter, Wynkoop Place, the Rev. Wilbur F. Stowe, pastor. Bible school session at 9:45 a. m. Morning worship at 10:45, with short sermon by the pastor on "The Christmas Spirit." C. E. prayer meeting in the church hall at 6:45. Subject, "What Does Christmas Mean to the World?" Leader, M. Edgar Powley. Evening service at 7:30. This will be "A Candle Light Service." For a part of the service the only lights in the auditorium will be from a large silver star hanging over the pulpit, and the lighted candles. Christmas carols will be sung and there will be special music by the choir. The pastor's subject will be "The Star and its Shining." This message will be brief. All are invited to attend these services. The following is the musical program:

MORNING.  
Organ Prelude—Improvisation on "Pilgrims".....Leslie  
Solo—"The Birthday of a King".....Neidlinger  
Anthem—"All Hail the Joyful Morn".....Adams  
Organ Postlude—"Postlude".....Dick  
EVENING.  
Prelude—"Largo".....Handel  
Organ piano and violin.  
Duet—"The Manger Babe".....Tullar  
Miss Maud Weaver and Mrs. Frank Elmendorf.  
Anthem—"The Dawn of Earth's Glad Day".....Wilson  
Organ Postlude—"March in F".....Bruce

The monthly meeting of the consistory will be postponed one week until Tuesday night, January 3. On Wednesday evening, December 28, the annual meeting of the Bible school with election of officers will be held in the church hall at 8 o'clock. The officers and teachers and adult members are invited to be present.

St. John's Church, Albany and Tremper avenues—7 p. m. Christmas eve (24th). Helps to a worthy Communion. 11:30 p. m. Christmas eve (24th), the Midnight Eucharist. Order of service:

Processional—"O Come All Ye Faithful".....Cantus Diversi  
Short Kyrie.....Barby  
Credo in E Flat.....Haynes  
Hymn—"O Little Town of Bethlehem".....Redner  
Christmas Greetings.....Rector  
Anthem—"The Shepherds".....Noble  
Sanctus in E Flat.....Haynes  
Benedictus in E Flat.....Haynes  
Agnus Dei in E Flat.....Haynes  
Carols during Communion:  
a "Silent Night".....Gruber  
b "Of the Father's Love Begotten".....Plainsong  
c "O'er the Cradle of a King".....French

Gloria in Excelsis in E Flat. Haynes  
Seven-fold Amen.....Stainer  
Recessional—"It came Upon the Midnight Clear".....Willis  
Postlude—"Noel Polonaise".....Gullmunt  
Robert Williams, organist and choir-master. Vested male choir.  
8 a. m. Christmas day (25th). Christmas Communion. No choir.  
10:45 a. m. Christmas day. The Choral Eucharist. Order of service:  
Processional—"O Come All Ye Faithful".....Cantus Diversi  
Short Kyrie.....Barby  
Credo in E Flat.....Haynes  
Hymn—"Calm on the List'ning Ear of Night".....Dykes  
Address—"The Infant King".....Kemper  
Anthem—"Hark! What Mean Those Holy Voices".....Sullivan  
Sanctus in E Flat.....Haynes  
Benedictus in E Flat.....Haynes  
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First Reformed Church, the Rev. Lucas Boere, D. D., minister. The Christmas theme is "Why God Came." The music will be of the usual high order and in harmony with the real Christmas spirit. The church will be artistically decorated. There will be a short story for the children. New members are to be welcomed before the communion is observed. The Bible school session at 12 o'clock will be omitted. A vesper service will be held at 4 o'clock in

which Bible school and church unite, to which the Bethany Chapel school has been invited. This will be an interesting service with special music by the choir and the Christmas hymns by the school and congregation. The evening service will be omitted. The Bible school festival with exchange of gifts and with a visit by Santa Claus takes place Thursday evening at 7:30. The following are the programs of Christmas music to be given at the First Reformed Church next Sunday by the regular choir of the church under the direction of W. Whiting, Frederburgh, organist and choir-master.

MORNING 10:30.  
Organ Prelude—March of the Magi Kings.....Dublois  
Anthem—Hail, Thou Ever Blessed Morn.....Matthews  
Duet—"The Radiant Star".....C. Whiting Coombs  
Mrs. Johnston, Mr. Finley  
Gloria Patri—From Service in A.....Macfarren  
Offertory—There's a Song in the Air.....Oley Speaks  
Mrs. Johnston  
Carol—Song of the Angels.....Traditional 18th Century  
Carol—Sleep, My Jesus, Sleep.....Old Dutch Lullaby

Postlude.....SUNDAY SCHOOL CAROL SERVICE 4 P. M.  
Organ Prelude—Jubilate Deo.....Silver  
Hymn—Hark, the Herald Angels Sing.....Mendelssohn  
Carol—Happy Bethlehem.....Old Spanish  
Anthem—Calm on the List'ning Ear of Night.....Harker  
Mr. Finley and Chorus  
Hymn—It Came Upon the Midnight Clear.....Willis  
Offertory—Everywhere, Everywhere, Christmas Tonight.....Nevin  
Mrs. Johnston and Chorus  
Carol—in Bethlehem's Manger Lowly.....Traditional 18th Century  
Mrs. Johnston, Mr. Elmendorf, Mr. Finley and Chorus  
Hymn—O Come, All Ye Faithful.....Adeste Fideles

Clinton Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church, the Rev. Ernest G. Reith, minister. Notices for Sunday, December 25, 1927. 10 a. m. the Sunday School, Willys N. Ryder, superintendent. Classes for all ages. 10 a. m. the Men's Bible Class conducted by the pastor. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these classes. 11 a. m. the morning service of worship. The sermon topic will be "The Divine Adventure." Jesus." 6:30 p. m. the Epworth League Devotional Hour. Leader, Miss Dorothy Storms. Topic, "Carrying Christmas Around the World." 7:30 p. m. special Christmas musical service. All welcome. The Sacred Cantata "The Holy Infant" will be sung at this service. Musical program:

MORNING.  
Prelude—"Fantasia on Old Christmas Carols".....Faulks  
Anthem—"Te Deum Festival in E Flat".....Bridley Buck  
Offertory Violin Solo—"Jesus Emmanuel".....You  
Miss Mae Becker.  
Anthem—"Sing Alleluia".....Bullard  
Postlude.....Gullmunt  
EVENING.  
Prelude—"Prelude on the Hymn, 'Holy Night'".....Gruber  
Offertory—Pastoral Symphony from "The Messiah".....Handel  
A Christmas Cantata "The Holy Infant".....Handel  
Prelude—"With soprano solo, Miss Eva Bouton  
Chorus—"Hark! A Thrilling Voice is Sounding".....Irwin Thomas  
First Episode—The Annunciation  
Tenor solo with chorus  
Tenor solo with chorus  
(a) Recitative—"Behold, A Virgin".....Barnby  
(b) Song—"O Come, O Come, Emmanuel".....Haynes  
Second Episode—The Nativity  
Contralto Solo—Miss Gladys M. Hopper.  
(a) Recitative—"And Thou, Bethlehem".....Haynes  
(b) Song—O Little town of Bethlehem.....Haynes  
Chorus—"Come Hither, Ye Faithful".....Roland F. Heermance  
Trio (Tenor, Baritone and Bass)—"We Three Kings of Orient Are".....Messers. Franz, Dederick and Heermance.  
Chorus—"Sing Alleluia".....Roland F. Heermance  
Fourth Episode—"The Holy Name Baritone Solo—R. E. Heermance  
(a) Recitative—"And When Eight Days Were Accomplished".....Haynes  
(b) Jesus' Name of Wondrous Glory".....Roland F. Heermance  
Fifth Episode—The Presentation  
Soprano Solo—Mrs. Marion Crane Jones  
(a) Recitative—"And When the Days of Her Purification".....Haynes  
(b) Song—"The Prince of Peace".....Haynes  
Chorus—"Sing, O Sing This Blessed Morn".....Doxology.

Carry Their Hobbies With Them on Train  
Most people think that commuters spend their time on the train reading the newspapers or chatting about business. Playing cards is also well-known club-car pastime for those who must journey an hour or more on their twice-a-day trip. But there are other occupations.

Girls halt and sew on their way to the office and sometimes write letters on the morning express. Incidentally, women seem to prefer novels to news papers as they shuffle to and from the job. Then cross-word puzzle, some members of both sexes, some of them eagerly entering the puzzle mazes on the station platform before the train pulls in.

New and then a chess addict may be observed with a pocket folding board, working out profound problems of the game. He wears, so slowly or unconsciously, a mantle of superiority in the presence of the cross-word puzzle.

There is considerable study done on the commuters' trains, usually by younger commuters—Philadelphia Ledger.

## ELLENVILLE

Ellenville, Dec. 24.—At the meeting of the Eastern Star held Monday, December 19, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Worthy matrons, Fannie S. Lambert; worthy patron, Ulster Palmer; associate matrons, Nellie LaForce; treasurer, Cora B. Wells; secretary, Josie H. Saunders; conductress, Florence Ball; associate conductress, Mrs. Jennie DePuy and trustees for three years, Elmer LaForce. Following a covered dish banquet at 6:30 the members celebrated around a prettily decorated Christmas tree and each member of the society received a gift. Three candidates were initiated: The Misses Mildred White, Gladys Silverman and Mrs. Mabel D. Willklow.

Mrs. Otto Lang of Monticello was a visitor in town the early part of the week. Dr. and Mrs. Jansen K. Hoornbeek of New York, Mrs. Helen Holcombe of Detroit, Mich., her sister and brother, Miss Elizabeth Keeler of Bloomfield, N. J., and Robert of New York city, Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Erskout of Swan Lake will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George J. Hoornbeek over the holidays at their home on Canal street.

Mrs. Joseph Van Vleet and son, Baxter, of St. Clair shores arrived Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bretton Baxter of Liberty street. They expect to remain about a month. Miss Edna Stickle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Stickle, will entertain at a Christmas party and dance to be held at Hunt Memorial Hall next Monday evening.

Mrs. Julia Misner left Tuesday for an indefinite stay with her son and family of Brooklyn, N. Y. Church Notices. St. Andrew's Church, Ellenville. Christmas service. Midnight high Mass; Masses at 8 and 10:30 a. m. Woodburne, midnight high Mass. Ulster Heights, Mass at 9 a. m. Christ's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Christmas Day. Services, 10:30; Sunday school, 11:30. Christmas service by the school, 7:30, singing of familiar Christmas hymns, recitations, illumination of Christmas tree. Distribution of gifts and rewards for perfect attendance; benediction. Ladies' Aid at the parsonage Wednesday afternoon, December 28.

St. John's Episcopal Church, the Rev. John C. Bold of Kingston will conduct the usual midnight service and services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Christmas tree services will be held in the parish house on December 28.

Methodist Episcopal Church. 10:30 a. m. morning worship. The following Christmas carols and anthems will be rendered: "Angels from the Realm of Glory," "Thou Didst Leave Thy Throne," "Hark! the Herald Angels Sing," "What Mean Those Holy Voices," "Adams Quartet, 'Jesus, Come to Save,' Ramler; a fourteenth century carol, solo by Mrs. John H. Divine, "The Holy Mother Sings," "Unto Bethlehem," 11:45, Sunday school. 7:30, evening worship. A Christmas service with program, entitled, "The Christmas Message," by the Sunday school. The Christmas offering will be taken for the children in the orphan homes, hospitals and nurseries under the care of the Methodist Episcopal Church. Monday 7:30, Christmas tree, social of the Sunday school. Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., prayer service and Bible message. Friday, 7:30 p. m., senior choir rehearsal.

Reformed Church, Sunday, 10:30 a. m. Christmas sermon by the pastor, the Rev. W. S. Maines. Theme, "Bethlehem Speaking, Please Stand By." Special music by the choir. 12, Sunday school. 6:45 p. m., Christian Endeavor service. 7:30 p. m., evening service in charge of the Sunday school. A play entitled, "The Christmas Idea," will be given by the older classes, with a place in the program for the little folks. Congregational singing of some of the oldest carols will be a feature of the service. A Christmas tree with gifts for the children of the school will complete the day's festivities. Tuesday, 7:30 p. m., regular meeting of the Boy Scouts in the lecture room. Wednesday, 7:45 p. m., mid-week devotional service.

PINE HILL.  
Pine Hill, Dec. 24.—Mrs. Alice Hill has been visiting Mrs. W. H. Elwyn, at Woodstock, during the past week. While Ward Griffin was adjusting the fan on an automobile last Monday, he had the misfortune to have the end of one finger cut off and another badly injured. It is hoped that the one may be saved. The accident, no doubt, will prevent him from working for several weeks. Mrs. A. D. Hill is spending the holidays in New York city.

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Smith and daughter, Marie, left town on Thursday for Hartford, Conn., where they expect to remain for several weeks. His store, at this place will be in charge of Andries Haynes during his absence. "Ted" Heymann of Fleischmanns was a Pine Hill visitor on Friday. F. R. Hitchcock, who has been seriously ill for some time past, has so far recovered as to be able to be up and about the house.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Smith will leave Pine Hill January 15 for Abbeville, Ga., where they will remain the balance of the winter. Both departments of the village school will be closed next week. Mr. and Mrs. William Redmond are spending a few days in Kingston, guests of Mrs. Belle Wood, Mrs. Redmond's sister.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.  
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the C. Hillebrand Dry Dock Company will be held at the Office of the Company at South Woodstock, in the town of Woodstock, Ulster county, New York, on the ninth day of January, 1928, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, for the election of directors and inspectors of election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting. Dated, South Woodstock, N. Y., December 23, 1927.

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## Christmas at Holy Cross Church

The feast of the Nativity of Jesus Christ will be observed with all the beauty usual at the Church of the Holy Cross. Twenty-foot tall Christmas trees standing at the side aisles of the long building, with only the famous high altar and its great triptych of the usual appointments of the church meeting the eye, add an appropriate note of mystery and awe. In the chapel of Saint Joseph the manger containing a representation of the Nativity, is there to bring home again the loveliest of all pictures in the heart of the human race, and to tell again the story of mankind's greatest gift.

This evening at 11:30 o'clock, the choir will begin the singing of carols and the solemn high midnight Mass for Holy Communion will immediately follow. The celebrant will be the rector, the Rev. Gregory Mabry, who will be celebrating his ninth midnight Mass in Kingston as rector of Holy Cross; the deacon will be the Rev. B. Stuart Bert; and the subdeacon will be the Rev. R. S. Hornby. The choir will be augmented by the assistance of a former soprano soloist, Miss Josephine Hilsenmoortel, who has just returned from a long concert tour. The music of the Mass will be the gorgeous setting of Palestrina called the Missa Brevis, which is arranged with no instrumental accompaniment. Only choirs of musical tradition and great talent can attempt such music. It will be the second singing of this Mass at Holy Cross, it having been used two years ago at the midnight Mass, for which it is so highly suitable.

The next Mass will be a low one for Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m. on Christmas morning. At 10:30 a. m. a high Mass of thanksgiving will be sung by Father Bert, followed by a sermon by the rector, particularly for children.

The children's festival will take place on Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. in the church, preceded by a party for them in the parish house, beginning at 6 o'clock. All parents and friends are invited to the exercises in the church. On Sunday, January 1, a mystery play entitled "Mary's Child" by the rector will be acted by a number of young people in the parish in the sanctuary of the church immediately after vespers. It will be an event of great interest.

The music for the midnight Mass will be as follows:  
Prelude—Christmas Carols from Lorraine by Louis Claude d'Aquin (These carols were written in the fifteenth century.)  
"O Holy Night".....Adams  
Miss Josephine Hilsenmoortel.  
The Grand Entrance—Adeste Fideles.....Cantus Diversi  
Introit—Laudate Dominum.....Plainsong  
Kyrie Eleison (Missa Brevis).....Palestrina  
Gloria in Excelsis (Missa Brevis).....Palestrina  
Sequence—O Little Town of Bethlehem (Missa Brevis).....Palestrina  
Credo (Missa Brevis).....Palestrina  
Offertory—Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence.....Old French Carol  
Sanctus and Benedictus (Missa Brevis).....Palestrina  
Agnus Dei (Missa Brevis).....Palestrina

During Holy Communion: Nazareth.....Ch. Francois Gounod  
Gesu Bambino.....Petro Yon  
Mr. Clearwater.  
Recessional—Holy Night (Black Forest Version).....Gruber  
Postlude—First Symphony.....Gullmunt

HIGH MASS, 10:30 A. M.  
CHRISTMAS DAY.  
Prelude—Pastorale Symphony.....Handel  
Introit—Laudate Dominum.....Plainsong  
Kyrie Eleison.....Missa di Angeli  
Gloria in Excelsis, Missa di Angeli  
Sequence—Of the Father's Love Begotten.....Ancient  
Credo.....Missa di Angeli  
Offertory—Adeste Fideles.....Ancient  
Sanctus and Benedictus.....Missa di Angeli  
Agnus Dei.....Missa di Angeli  
Adoration—Thou Didst Leave Thy Throne.....West  
Recessional—Good Christian Men, Rejoice.....14th Century Melody  
Walter J. Kidd, Jr., will direct



## The Week in Wall Street

New York, Dec. 24.—The Christmas spirit permeated the stock market this week. Each day the average of 30 leading industrial shares set a new high record for all time. Speculative interest shifted from group to group with the most consistent strength shown by the copper, nearly all of which sold at their highest prices in years. Rails were a bit backward, due to disappointing freight traffic statistics, although a firm undertone was apparent for the high grade investment issues.

Bullish enthusiasm in the stock market reflected hopes of business prosperity next year. From the steel, copper and other basic industries came reports of improving conditions. Credit conditions were temporarily disregarded. Making up of call money rates to 5 per cent was generally regarded as seasonal particularly as it was not accompanied by any stiffening of other monetary accommodations. Neither did Wall Street appear unduly disturbed over the increase of \$55,000,000 in brokers' loans reported by the New York Federal Reserve Bank, as it was felt that this was due in large measure to nearly \$200,000,000 in new financing during the week.

U. S. Steel common regained its old role of market leader on heavy accumulation inspired by persistent reports that a more liberal dividend policy and possibly another stock split were in store for early next year. It is generally expected that a successor to the late Elbert H. Gary as chairman of the board will be announced after the directors meeting next Tuesday. Secretary Mellon's refusal to issue an anti-dumping order against the importation of German steel failed to dampen bullish enthusiasm for the issue. Other steels failed to participate in the upturn in any great extent.

With the copper industry admittedly in the best position since the war, and the outlook generally favorable, operators for the advance had little difficulty in attracting a following in the copper shares. Anaconda, American Smelting, Cerro de Pasco, Chile, Kennecott, Magna, Utah and even Seneca sold at their best prices of the year or longer. A series of sensational gains in the insurance shares earlier in the week were followed by a dramatic collapse in those issues, but all of them were above their low levels of the year as the week closed. Oils quieted down after a temporary outburst of strength following the announcement of a sharp decrease in crude oil production last week.

### Humorous Tale Went

**Unhappily After That**  
A good Bret Harte story is told by William H. Crane, the veteran actor, in "Footprints on Echoes." Bret Harte was engaged to deliver a humorous lecture at a small western city. Just after he had started, one of the deacons rising on the stage grabbed hold of his coat and whispered:

"Hold on a minute, I want to make an announcement."  
Harte was very much astonished and stepped aside while the deacon took the center of the platform. "Ladies and gentlemen," he said, after a pause, "Mr. Rogers C. Jones is in the hall."

"There was a protracted pause and, as Mr. Jones failed to respond, the deacon continued:

"Well, if he can't have the pleasure to say that his wife has just died."  
As everyone in the small city was intimately acquainted with Mrs. Jones, Harte's task, giving a humorous lecture, was far from successful.

**One Secret of Success**  
A great deal of nonsense is written about success. More poor advice, we believe, is given to the young on this theme than on any other. The Courage Brother type of magazine and the Sympathetic Indicate Sisters have perfected mass production on the secrets of success.

Recently a daily newspaper reporter, interviewing a great author, asked if he wrote only when inspiration came. "My old fellow, no," said the author. "I go to work each morning at nine o'clock and pound away seven or eight hours. If I waited for moods and inspirations, I would do very little writing."

Most cases on success could be written in no words as follows: Hard Work—Harry Daniel, in Thrift Magazine.

### Putty Soft

"Engineers have found a tribe of half-civilized natives in the wilds of the Asiatic Caucasus. The mountains called 'males' people by neighboring tribes because they are ruled by women," reports *Copper's Weekly*. "The women of the tribe appear to have carried feudalism beyond the dreams of civilized modern women, but not to the disadvantage of the men for the women do all the work of the men and the woman who provides the most luxuries for her husband and sons is most respected. All the men have to do is eat the food set before them, sleep, eat and smoke stone-bowling pipes while their women fill and light for them."

## Ann Rork



Peeling in her stylish winter garb of velvet is the ever-winsome "movie" star, Ann Rork, featured in the motion picture entitled "The Prince of Head Waiters."

## Uncommon Sense

By John Blake

### HOUSEHOLD "GOATS"

IN NEARLY every large family there is one person who is tacitly recognized as the household "goat."

Often this person is the mother, sometimes an elder daughter. Nearly always the role is filled by a woman, because women have to stay around the house. The male members of the family, soon or late, break away from the net of domestic restraint.

On the "goat" devolve all the irksome and disagreeable tasks that have to be done. If the family is in moderate circumstances she looks after the children and does the housework. If the family is affluent she entertains the dull guests and does everybody else's shopping.

She is always generous and self-sacrificing and uncomplaining. And for that reason she is always imposed upon.

Because she does not make a fuss when her feelings are hurt the other members of the family conclude that her feelings can't be hurt. They love her, of course. But they never stop to think that their love ought to take some tangible form.

Custom can harden us to a great many things. That is why a loving family can see one of its members unjustly treated day after day and do nothing about it.

The mere fact that it is the custom to overlook the victim's wishes in everything finally comes to be considered an excuse for doing so.

Family tyranny is not often conscious tyranny. It is just thoughtlessness.

But it is tyranny all the same. And the vicious part of it is that the more the victim submits to it the greater the tyranny becomes.

The mother or daughter who sacrifices herself for the pleasure of the others is not only mistreating herself. She is urging the others to even greater selfishness and thoughtlessness.

In time they come to accept her service and sacrifice as merely their due. And thus she injures their characters even while she is depriving herself of her share of pleasure.

There is no good reason that I can think of why one person should be the victim of the family group any more than he should be a victim of a less friendly group. The members of a football team or of a brokerage house do not expect one person to shoulder all the disagreeable tasks.

Why, then, should a family expect one of its members to give up his comfort for the ease of the others?

I would like to see all household "goats" rebel every Monday. A weekly rebellion might jar the family into some appreciation of their worth.

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### Believe Earth Hollow

The hollow earth theory holds that the earth or universe is a hollow sphere with the sun in the center and that we live on the inner surface of this sphere. This is one of the tenets of the Koresians, a communistic body at Estero, Lee county, Fla. The cult only was founded by Cyrus R. Teed, a physician, who was born at Utica, N. Y., in 1839. "Koresian" is derived from "Kores," the Hebrew word for Jesus. The Koresians hold that Jesus was God Almighty and that Teed was sent as the Messiah on earth. Although the central order is celibate, their aim is not to abolish marriage, but rather to purify it.

## Events Around The Empire State

Port Covington—Residents of this little border village were awakened on a recent night by the first December thunder storm to visit that section in years. Wind howling and crashing thunder of a real blizzard were about during the winter.

Ticonderoga—A son, born recently to Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Sawyer, does not lack for grandparents. The baby has a great-grandfather, Mr. Mary Swinton, who is eighty-six years old, also three great-grandmothers, two great-grandfathers, two grandfathers and two grandmothers, five generations of one family.

Saranac Lake—Owing to lack of the usual amount of snow and the unusual mildness of the winter to date, Essex county trappers are having poor luck, the fur bearers paying but little attention to the bait in traps. Animals that have been caught are fat, showing plainly that they have had no difficulty in obtaining plenty of food.

Elizabethtown—A ten-year-old son of Oliver Hathaway has the laugh of the veteran trappers of this section of the Adirondacks. While they were going far afield to set their traps he took a fine large musk from a hotel swimming pool right in the village. The choice pelt was twenty-six inches long.

### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Deeds Recently Recorded With the County Clerk.

The following deeds have been filed in the Ulster county clerk's office:

Catherine Wager and husband to Anna Marie Barnes, a parcel of land in town of Marlborough. Consideration \$1.

Stanley B. Longyear and wife to Esther Johnson, a parcel of land in town of Woodstock. Consideration \$1.

On December 29 at 1 p. m., a representative of the state motor vehicle bureau will be at the court house and hear those who have grievances because their motor vehicle licenses have been either revoked or suspended.

## Library Report For November

Following is the report of the Kingston City Library for the month of November 1927:

Books added to the library:	
By purchase	245
Gifts	5
Total	250
Discarded	31
Total books in library	14,594
Circulation:	
Adult books	5,225
Juvenile books	2,575
Total	7,800
Increase over Nov. 1926	542
Reading room:	
Adult readers	3,100
Juvenile readers	1,150
Reference	257
Total	4,507

James Leppert, 1 book; M. Zoller, 1 book; Dutch Settlers Soc., 1 book; P. Flynn, 1 book; S. V. Hoffman, 1 book; Mrs. Alton B. Parker, 1 map.

### Areas Awaiting Settlers

There are no parts of the United States which can be designated as "unexplored," but there are many sections where there are considerable stretches of territory of which little or nothing is known. In the lake country near the Canadian border there is a large area about which little is known, while Yuma and Pima counties, a portion of Maricopa county, Ariz., are yet to be thoroughly explored. A short time ago San Juan county, in southwestern Utah, near Chaco Canyon national monument, was included among these untrampled areas. A large part of Nevada, which is more than twice as large as Pennsylvania, is almost devoid of human life, particularly the central and southern portions of the state. Fewer than 30,000 people live in the whole state. One has still to travel by compass in parts of northern Michigan and Wisconsin.

### Fragrant Wood

Sandalwood is the fragrant heartwood of several species of evergreen trees, chiefly Oriental ones. The principal supply comes from India and the Malay archipelago.

### America Cold, Sailors

Profer Scottish Prison Glasgow—Sixteen sailors, who were taken aboard a ship by the British navy, are being held in Scotland to answer charges of piracy.

The men were members of the crew of the steamer "Albatross." They admitted sailing the ship on that vessel, but claimed that they learned the ship was going to Norfolk, Va. "It is too cold in America," they explained to the judge, "we go there we will die and never see India again."

They were sentenced to four weeks in prison.

### Young Man in High Place

William Johnson of South Carolina was the youngest man who has ever been a member of the Supreme Court of the United States. He was born in Charleston on December 27, 1771, and was appointed an associate justice of the Supreme court early in 1804 when he was only thirty-two years of age. He served on the bench until his death 30 years later.

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FEATURE NO. 1

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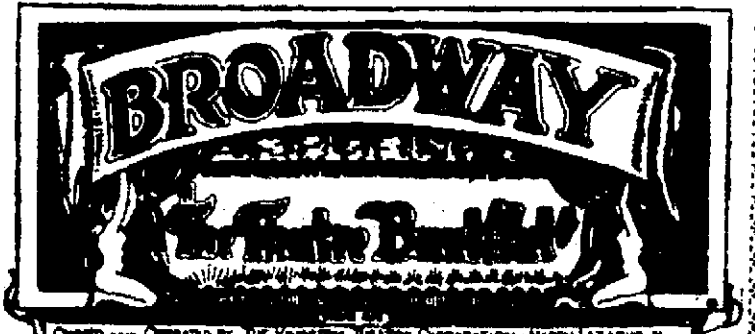
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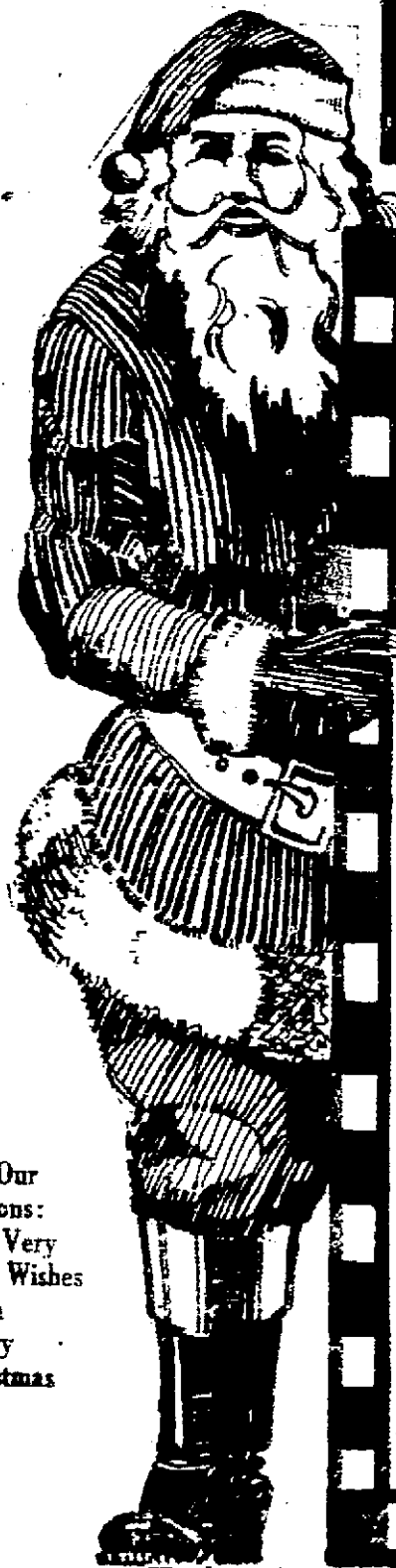
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### LAST MINUTE SHOPPERS MAY GET BIG BARGAINS

Rochester, N. Y., Dec. 24 (AP).—Killing, clutching, crushing, hundreds of women will storm police headquarters here tonight. The event will be neither a riot nor a round-up; the ladies will just be "shopping".

For many years it has been the custom of the Rochester police department to hold a Christmas eve sale of unclaimed articles from various municipal departments. The sale has grown steadily in popularity and this year many Christmas shoppers have

deferred the purchase of gifts, awaiting the last minute police sale.

In announcing the hours to "bargain hunters", Property Clerk Joseph W. Sheridan declared that this year's assortment ranges from ladies' silk lingerie to an automobile.

Included in the list are several baby carriages, scores of bicycles, suit cases, a truck, kitchen utensils, soap, sleds, umbrellas, toys, desk sets, men's shirts in assorted sizes, colors and styles, and yards of dress materials.

Maybe the shoppers would like a carton of cigarettes for a Christmas present.

## Y. M. C. A.

The Y. M. C. A. wishes for its members and friends a very Merry Christmas and a happy and prosperous New Year, and takes this occasion to give notice that its building will be closed all day Monday, December 26.

### HICKMAN'S FAMILY STANDS BY KIDNAPPER



Despite confession of implication in Marian Parker kidnapping case, family of William Edward Hickman refuse to believe he participated in butchery of little girl. Left to right, upper: Mary Hickman, 17, sister of the youth; young Hickman; Mrs. Eva Hickman, his mother, and the Hickman home in Kansas City.

Lower left: Hickman's tell-tale signature at Paradise Arms Hotel, Chicago, which helped police track him down. Lower right: Hickman's thumb print, found on door of automobile, which also aided greatly in bringing about his capture near border line. (International Newsweek)

## Christmas Wishes

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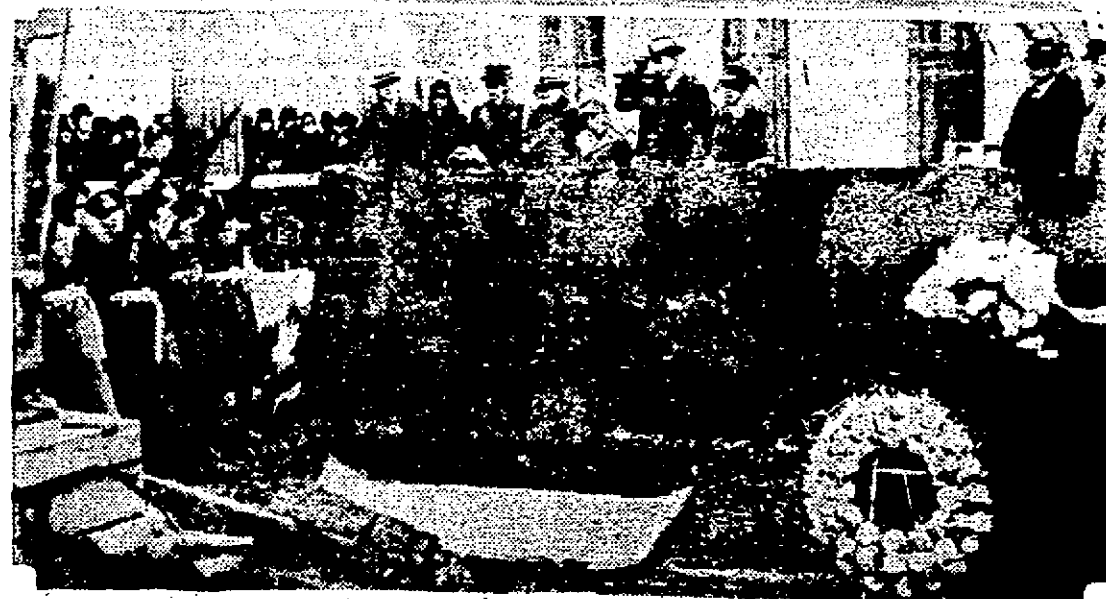
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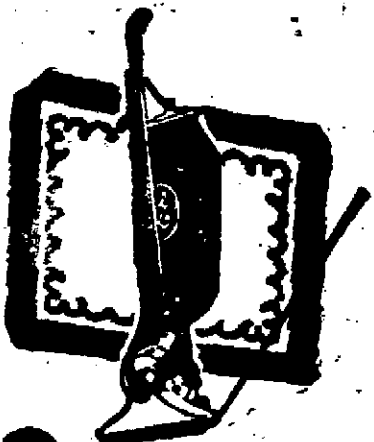
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KINGSTON, N. Y.



## Troy Met. Team Here Monday

Kingston Will Play Troy at Local Court Monday Night—Play at Brooklyn Sunday.

Myrtle Husta is in hopes of leading a quintet of Metropolitan League players on the army court against Troy Monday night. The team will have a chance to ease the Brooklyn visitations now leading the Colonials by a half game when they meet Sunday night at Brooklyn.

The visitations proved a stroma quintet throughout the first half of the Met. League contests but they are not invincible on the home court. Onskill recently proved that by drubbing them to the tune of 30-13 at Brooklyn after leading to the visitations at Catekill, 25-22. Kingston recently helped Catekill out of the running for the first berth by defeating them at the local court. Harry Riccarda will be with Husta's team in Brooklyn. He will hold down the berth of Sgt. Makowski who will not be in the lineup.

Troy will undoubtedly take the court here against the Husta brigade with some revised lineup. It is known that Benowitz, former team mate of Sgt. Makowski at Union College, will be with the quintet. Troy is now trailing the league with eight losses and one win.

## Red Shields Beat

MILLBROOK FIVE, 50-55

The Red Shields defeated the Millbrook team, 50 to 55, at the latter's court Friday. An extra period was required to determine the winner of the fast contest. Joyce and Merritt for the winners and Flanagan for the losers led the scorers with 23, 22 and 20 points respectively.

The score:

	FG.	FP.	Tot.
Joyce, H.	11	1	23
Merritt, H.	8	6	22
Hyatt, C.	1	3	5
Dubois, R.	1	0	2
Kelleher, J.	3	1	7
Short, L.	0	0	0
Total	24	11	59

## Millbrook

	FG.	FP.	Tot.
Ball, R.	2	1	5
Abbott, H.	4	1	9
Flanagan, C.	9	2	20
Irish, R.	3	0	6
Kelly, J.	3	1	7
Ahearn, R.	4	0	8
Total	25	5	65

Score at end of first half—Millbrook, 25; Red Shields, 19. Referee—Simpson.

## JUDAEAN SECONDS

### BEAT RANGER QUINNET

The Judaeans second team defeated the Rangers Thursday night at the downtown Jewish Community Center, 47-22. Levy of the Judaeans did the high scoring of the game. He collected 19 markers. Kantrowitz of the same team caged the leather for 10 points.

The score:

	FG.	FP.	Tot.
Kantrowitz, J.	5	0	10
D. Levy, J.	9	1	19
W. Dean, C.	3	0	6
Carlin, G.	3	0	6
R. Kalish, G.	3	0	6
Total	23	1	47

## Rangers

	FG.	FP.	Tot.
Schreiberg, J.	2	2	6
Perlmutter, C.	3	0	6
W. Chipp, C.	3	0	6
Gaddis, E.	1	0	2
Taylor, G.	0	2	2
Total	9	4	22

## CITY LEAGUE CONTEST

### WON BY IMMANUELS

The Immanuel Lutheran team of the City Bowling League took two out of three games from the Colonials on the church quinet's alleys Friday night. Schmitz, of the Colonials, was the leading scorer with 545 points to his credit. Al Studt, of the Immanuel, dumped the hammer for 524.

The scores:

	Colonials
Schmitz, J.	182 194 159—545
Beis, J.	175 155 134—464
Wood, J.	140 164 189—493
Cleveland, J.	121 147 165—434
Kerzman, J.	151 182 154—487
Total	775 842 812—2429

## Immanuel

	Immanuel
E. Alward, J.	165 154 152—501
C. Petri, J.	165 153 196—514
S. Paasbender, J.	153 175 122—450
A. Studt, J.	181 167 176—524
W. Thiel, J.	163 159 152—474
Total	827 808 838—2473

## WHAT HAPPENED IN THE

### BOPE ARENA LAST NIGHT.

(By The Associated Press.) New York—Sid Terris, New York, won from Phil McGraw, Detroit, 19 rounds; Bruce Flowers, New Rochelle, N. Y., won from Lou Peisano, Salt Lake City, 5 rounds; Jack Duffy, Toledo, won from Matty Mario, New York, 8 rounds; Bobby Barnes, New York, defeated Frankie Flink, Texas, 3 rounds.

San Francisco—Vince Dundee, Baltimore, and Joe Vargas, Fresno, Cal., drew 10 rounds.

## PORT EVEN SENIORS

### AND CONGREGATIONALS WIN.

The Port Even Seniors defeated the Redeemers Wednesday night at the "Y" in the Sunday School League by a 23 to 25 score. In the first game of the evening, the Congregational quintet overwhelmed the Trinity team.

## Grade School League Games

The Grade School League games which took place Friday at the "Y" court brought victory to Schools No. 1 and No. 2.

The contest between Schools No. 1 and No. 2 was a fast one. Both teams played good basketball. The final score was 15 to 11 in favor of School No. 1.

The contest between Schools No. 3 and No. 4 was also hard fought. School No. 3 came out on top with a score of 15 to 11. Krum was leading scorer for No. 3 with 20 points.

	FG.	FP.	Tot.
Levine, R.	5	1	11
Helle, R.	1	2	3
Hill, C.	1	2	3
Hall, R.	1	2	3
Gallop, R.	1	2	3
Total	9	9	23

	FG.	FP.	Tot.
Cohen, R.	5	1	11
Gold, R.	1	2	3
Goldfarb, H.	1	2	3
Townsend, C.	1	2	3
Newell, R.	1	2	3
Kantrowitz, J.	5	2	12
Total	18	10	38

Score at end of first half—School No. 1, 7; No. 2, 11. Fouls committed—School No. 1, 7; School No. 2, 9. Referee—Jones. Timekeeper—Watts. Time of halves—16 minutes.

## School No. 2

	FG.	FP.	Tot.
Bitner, R.	1	1	2
C. Mills, H.	0	0	0
Timbrock, C.	1	1	2
Hamilton, R.	0	0	0
Bahl, J.	0	0	0
Rosenburg, J.	1	1	2
Total	3	3	11

## School No. 4

	FG.	FP.	Tot.
Krum, R.	10	0	20
Winehill, H.	2	0	4
Murdock, C.	0	0	0
Carpio, C.	2	1	5
Gates, R.	0	0	0
M. Carpio, R.	0	0	0
Jansen, J.	0	0	0
Total	14	1	29

Score at end of first half—School No. 1, 12; No. 2, 7. Fouls committed—School No. 1, 2; School No. 2, 10. Referee—Jones. Timekeeper—Watts. Time of halves 16 minutes.

## Terris Beats

### Phil McGraw

New York, Dec. 24 (AP)—Sid Terris has settled his score with Phil McGraw, at least for 1924. The lithe and snappy side dancing master boxed and punched his way to victory over the rugged Detroit Greek last night at Madison Square Garden in the "rubber" match of their series of three scraps, all within the last four months.

The outcome assured Terris a bout with Jimmy McCharm, crack California lightweight, to determine a logical contender for the 135 crown sported by Sammy Mandell. This match is slated for February 3 at the Garden.

Terris clearly outpointed McGraw in their ten round argument, but the quickness with which the dancing master tired, after a slashing start, took some of the impressiveness from his victory.

## Roamers vs. Clintons

The Roamers will meet the Clinton Avenue Seniors at Epworth Hall tonight at 7:30. Members of both quinetes are requested to be at the hall at 7 o'clock. A tentative plan has been made for a meeting between the Clinton Seniors and the Trinity Seniors Monday.

## Scouting Does Not Pay

### in Football, Says "Red"

"Scouting doesn't pay in football," said Harold (Red) Grange. "We professional players realize that we can't learn anything much by watching a rival team in action," said Grange. "We can pick out a weak spot here or there but then we can discover that weak spot on the gridiron when we play against the team more easily than by 'scouting.' We had members of the Giants at some of our games as our guests."

## Signs Three Contracts

Vic Hanson, all-American end and captain of football, baseball and basketball teams at Syracuse university, has signed his third professional sports contract, since graduation last June. Besides serving as assistant football coach at Syracuse this fall and going South for a tryout with the Yankees next spring, Hanson will play basketball with the Cleveland Rosenboms this winter. It is not thought that he will be able to break into the Yankee lineup in 1925.

## Abolish Gate Fee

Coach Knute Rockne of Notre Dame favors Yale's plan to abolish salaries for football coaches with reservations. "I am for it," Rockne said recently. "The minute they stop charging admission to college football games, I'll give my coaching services free." He added, however, that he had not heard any rumors of cutting out gate admissions for college games.

## Fraction Line

The division line between two parts of a fraction is called the diagonal fraction line. At any rate, that is what printers call it. Many old-time printers call it the "shilling mark." Popularly it is called the sign of the fraction or the fraction sign.—Pittsburgh Courier.

## Chandlers and Y's Men Win

The Chandlers' basketball team today at their home court, the Columbia Ave. Gym, high at the Y. M. C. A. court, defeated the Y's Men 15 to 11. The Chandlers' work proved a masterpiece in the "Chandlers' court." The Chandlers' five had hard struggles to get out of the net in order to score their 15 markers. At the end of the first half the Chandlers were out in front 15 to 11. The Y's Men started the second half at 11 to 11. The Chandlers were successful in scoring eight times in the second half for 15 additional points. The Y's Men scored for the losers with six to their credit.

The Y's Men trimmed the Wandsworth All-Stars in a preliminary game 45-26. The quintet battled on even terms for the first quarter which ended four all. Then the Y's Men grew more accurate in handling the hoops and by the time the whistle marked the end of the first half they had collected 10 points to the Wandsworth's 16. In the second half the Y's Men made a stronger bid for the game and rolled up a score which spoiled the Wandsworth's chances of a win. The Wandsworths did most of their point collecting at long range, and Nick Bruck, former Kingston High School varsity player, led the team with 10 points. Shaver and Hands did the best work for the Y's Men. They finished 25 and 19 points respectively.

The score:

	FG.	FP.	Tot.
Niles, J.	1	2	3
Smith, J.	1	2	3
Fox, J.	2	0	4
Kennedy, C.	1	1	2
Bahl, J.	1	1	2
Hoffman, J.	1	1	2
Dulin, C.	2	1	5
Total	14	8	30

## Columbia

	FG.	FP.	Tot.
Knight, J.	0	0	0
Ross, J.	3	0	6
Clayton, J.	0	1	1
Schultz, C.	1	0	2
Colvin, J.	1	0	2
Bruck, J.	0	0	0
Total	5	1	11

## Score at end of first half: Chandlers, 15; Columbia, 5. Referee, Fraser.

## Y's Men's

	FG.	FP.	Tot.
McDowell, J.	2	2	6
Hinds, J.	5	0	10
Schaeffer, C.	9	7	25
Fleming, J.	0	1	1
Hendrickson, J.	1	1	2
Total	17	11	45

## Warringtons

	FG.	FP.	Tot.
Gilday, J.	1	2	4
Fitzgerald, J.	2	1	5
Bruck, C.	2	5	9
Fischer, J.	1	0	2
Snyder, J.	2	1	5
Total	8	9	25

Score at end of first half: Y's Men, 21; Warringtons, 10. Referee, Fraser.

## Cissell From Minors to Majors in Two Years

From minor to major league baseball in two seasons is the story of the playing career of Chalmers W. Cissell, shortstop, who is to report next spring to the Chicago White Sox.

Two years ago Cissell, then twenty-two, stepped from the role of a United States regular at Fort Des Moines to the Des Moines Western league ball club.

The Portland (Ore.) club in the Pacific Coast league liked his play and paid \$12,000 for the St. Louis youth.

The White Sox are reported to have paid \$125,000 for the St. Louis youth. Cissell is a dashing shortstop with plenty of speed and performs equally as well with the bat.

## Cubs Get Kiki Cuyler



Pennant hopes of the Chicago Cubs, which named him and then sponsored out last fall, were given fresh fuel with the announcement that Hazen ("Kiki") Cuyler of the Pittsburgh Pirates had been acquired in exchange for Spray Adams and Pete Scott.

## Hawaiian Player Kicks

### 55 Yards in Bare Feet

Last winter Knute Rockne came back from Hawaii with stories of native kickers kicking off 50-yard boots with their bare feet and of crowds that called a player "yellow" when he donned a regulation padded football outfit.

New Oregon state college has a freshman, Henry Hughes, to boot out Notre Dame's famous coach. Rockne, a Hawaiian boy, dropped 55 yards in his bare feet, curling up his toes so that the impact is on the ball of his foot.

## Illinois Awarded 28 Varsity Football Letters This Season



Butch Acosta

BUTCH Acosta, star of the "Evergreen" football team, was awarded 28 varsity letters this season. The letters were presented to him by the Illinois Football Association. Acosta is a member of the Big Ten conference.

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**Some One Had Said It**  
"When President Harrison was visiting at our home at Woodstock, Conn., over the Fourth of July, 1888," writes Herbert W. Bowen in "Recollections of a Diplomatic and Undiplomatic Life," "he was smoking an after-dinner cigar in the family circle, when some one happened to refer to his own poor memory."

"The President laughed and said: 'That reminds me of a lawyer I knew in the West. He had a very poor memory for names, but he was a great trial lawyer, and was engaged in many an important case.'"

"On one occasion it appeared to get damages for a child that had been injured."

"His address to the jury was a masterpiece of law and logic until the very end, when he made a personal appeal to the gentlemen of the jury. All went well until he was about to make his last point. His memory for names then failed him, and he was obliged to conclude his speech in this way after a long pause."

"As some one has said, 'Suffer little children to come unto me, and for bid them not.'"

**Pedestrian Poets**

According to a writer in the *Man* (London) Cardian "poetry and walking have something in common." "Wordsworth," he says, "is a walking poet, rambling far over the dunes, brooding his poetry." Southey was another considerable walker. Meredith before his advancing disability demanded the use of mechanical means, ranged over great stretches of country in Surrey still unspoiled by golf courses and automobiles. Tennyson's knowledge of Lincolnshire scenery was the fruit of much walking. Browning was a walker to the very end and on his last visit to Asolo we hear of his daily "morning walk with his sister when everything that was notable was noted by his keen eyes."

Swinnerton's dalliance over Putney Heath in part of the history of English poetry. And we might continue almost indefinitely; a pedestrian poet must be the exception in all literature.

**Financial and Commercial**

New York, Dec. 24 (AP).—The "Christmas spirit" was reflected in the broad upward movement of prices on the stock exchange today. Operators for the advance, radiating cheer regarding 1928 business prospects, led up more than a score of issues to record high prices. Trading was unusually heavy for a pre-holiday session, the day's sales reaching around 11 million shares.

U. S. Steel touched a new high on the movement at 155 and then ran into considerable profit taking, back into down to below 154. General Motors continued to forge upward, with the rise accelerated by active short covering.

Midwest Products preferred was the seasonal individual feature, coming more than 12 points to a new high record at 252. American Agricultural preferred and Christie Brown each ran up more than 3 points to new high records. Brooklyn Edison, Brooklyn Union Gas and General Refractories also recorded large gains.

Despite the disappointing character of current earnings and statements, there was a good demand for the rails, with Erie common as the late feature.

The closing was strong.

Quotations given by Parker, McElroy & Co., members N. Y. Stock Exchange, 120 Broadway, New York city, branch office, 260 Fair street.

**NOON QUOTATIONS.**

Allied Chemical & Dye Corp.	153 1/2
Allis Chalmers	115
American Can	73 1/2
American Car & Foundry Co.	155
American Locomotive Co.	124 1/2
American Smelting & Ref. Co.	159
American Sugar Refining Co.	78
American Tel. & Tel.	39
American Woolen Co.	50 1/2
Anacosta Topping	193
Atchafalaya & Santa Fe	24 1/2
Baldwin Locomotive Co.	24 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio Ry.	117 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	57 1/2
Briggs Mfg. Co.	214 1/2
Canadian Pacific Ry.	71 1/2
Cerro de Pasco Copper	15 1/2
Chandler Motors, Pfd.	205 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio Ry.	86 1/2
Chicago & Northwestern R. R.	105 1/2
Chicago, R. I. & Pacific	62 1/2
Chrysler Corp.	135
Coca Cola Co.	91 1/2
Consolidated Gas	118 1/2
Corn Products Co.	64 1/2
Crescent Steel Corp.	92
Davison Chemical Co.	44
Dodge Bros. Class A	20 1/2
E. I. du Pont	33 1/2
Erie Railroad	65 1/2
Fleischmanns Co.	68 1/2
Freight Texas Co.	103
General Asphalt Co.	31 1/2
General Electric Co.	132 1/2
General Motors	135 1/2
Goodrich Rubber, (E. F.)	100 1/2
Great Northern Pfd.	154 1/2
Great Northern Ore.	158 1/2
Houston Oil Co.	80 1/2
Hudson Motors Car	50
International Comb. Eng.	245 1/2
International Harvester Co.	37
International Nickel	74
International Paper	60 1/2
Kansas City Southern	60 1/2
Kelly-Springfield Tire	26 1/2
Kennecott Copper Co.	88 1/2
Lehigh Valley	94
Loews, Inc.	57 1/2
Mack Trucks, Inc.	105 1/2
Marland Oil	29 1/2
Mid Continent Petroleum	52
Missouri Pacific R. R.	122 1/2
Montgomery Ward & Co.	98 1/2
Nash Motors Co.	173
National Biscuit Co.	184 1/2
N. Y. N. H. & Hartford R. R.	63
N. Y. Ontario & Western R. R.	31 1/2
Norfolk & Western Ry.	19 1/2
North American Co.	60
Northern Pacific R. R.	50 1/2
Packard Motors	38 1/2
Pan American Pet. & Tran. A.	41
Pan American Pet. & Tran. B.	113 1/2
Pam. Famous Players Lasky	41 1/2
Pennsylvania Railroad	41 1/2
Phillips Petroleum	41 1/2
Pierce Arrow M. Car Co.	14
Pressed Steel Car	125 1/2
Postum Cereal, Inc.	32
Pullman Co.	92
Radio Corp. of America	105
Reading Railroad	50 1/2
Republic Iron & Steel	108 1/2
Royal Dutch	82 1/2
St. Louis & San Fran. Ry. Co.	21 1/2
Sears Roebuck Co.	144 1/2
Sinclair Cons. Oil Corp.	21 1/2
Southern Pacific	144 1/2
Southern Railroad Co.	35 1/2
Standard Oil of Calif.	38 1/2
Standard Oil of N. J.	38 1/2
Studebaker Corp.	60
Texas Corp.	52 1/2
Texas Gulf Sulphur	75
Texas Pacific Ry.	135 1/2
Timken Roller Bearing	114 1/2
Tobacco Products	122 1/2
Union Pacific R. R.	107 1/2
U. S. Cast Iron Pipe	56 1/2
U. S. Dist. Alcohol Co.	56 1/2
U. S. Rubber Co.	63
U. S. Steel Corp.	93 1/2
Wabash Railroad	37
Westinghouse Elec. & Mfg. Co.	187 1/2
White Motors	187 1/2
Willis-Overland	187 1/2
Woolworth Co., F. W.	187 1/2
Yellow Truck & Coach	33 1/2

**Society Notes**

Thomas-Combeck.  
Henry Thomas and Miss Frances Combeck, both of 55 Ann street, were married December 15 by the Rev. John M. Proctor, pastor of St. Mark's A. M. E. Church. They were attended by William McDaniel and Eva Williams.

**Dance Postponed.**  
The dance which was to have been held in Y. W. C. A. Hall on Tuesday evening, December 27, under the auspices of the Jr. O. U. A. Mechanics' Band, has been postponed to a date, announcement of which will be made later.

**Punishment by Burning**  
Auto-de-fe is the name of the ceremony that accompanied the pronouncement of judgment by the Inquisition, and was followed by execution. Hence, auto-de-fe came to mean the burning of a heretic.

**Kiwanis Club Celebrates Xmas**

Santa Claus Distributes Gifts, Judge Fowler Talks on Music and Club Presents Paul Zucca With Hand-some Christmas Ring.

Thursday noon at the weekly meeting of the Kiwanis Club at the Governor Clinton Hotel, the Christmas spirit prevailed. In order to carry out the spirit of the season, Judge Fowler entered upon a discourse on music, telling the Kiwanians of the soothing power of music on the wild beast and also the Kiwanians members and after a lengthy talk on music he finally led up to his point in view. He then freed his mind and spared the Kiwanians further doubt as to the purpose of his talk when he presented in behalf of the club a handsome Gladstone traveling bag to Paul Zucca. The present in appreciation of the work of Mr. Zucca in directing the musical portion of the year's program was a complete surprise to Paul who had no idea his efforts had warranted such a gift. However, after a few swallows of water, Mr. Zucca finally came to the surface for air and expressed his appreciation for the kind words of the judge and for the present.

Incidentally it was announced that Paul had been appointed by Governor-elect Wright as a member of the state committee on music for the Kiwanis organization of the state of New York, and everyone agreed that Paul was well qualified to fill the position on that committee or in fact could be the whole committee if necessary.

**Local Death Record**

Mrs. Wilhelmina Aubke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Heldrich of Kerkonkson, and aunt of Adolph Wagner and Mrs. Fred Kuhlmann of Ellenville, died at her home in Brooklyn, at the age of 74, Friday, December 9. A solemn Mass of requiem was offered for the repose of her soul Monday, December 12, at the Church of St. John the Baptist. Interment was in Calvary Cemetery, Brooklyn.

Miss Carrie W. Sears, librarian of the Highland Library, died suddenly at her home on the Milton road at Highland on Thursday morning, aged 65 years. She is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Johnson of Highland and Mrs. Gillespie of Middletown. Funeral services were held this afternoon with the Rev. William A. Dalton, of the Presbyterian Church, officiating. Interment in the Sears plot in Riverside Cemetery at Montgomery.

Mrs. Anna Burr, widow of Theron Burr, died today at the home of her niece, Mrs. Caroline Schaezel, No. 31 South Clinton avenue. Mrs. Burr had been a resident of Rosendale for many years but of late had resided with her niece. While a resident of Rosendale she had been a faithful and loyal member of St. Peter's Church, and was a woman whose Christian character endeared her to a wide circle of friends. She is survived by one brother, Nicholas Bruck, Sr., of this city. Funeral services from the late residence on South Clinton avenue on Monday morning at 9:15 o'clock and at St. Peter's Church, Rosendale, at 10 o'clock with a requiem Mass for the repose of her soul. Interment in the family plot in St. Peter's Cemetery at Rosendale.

Harry C. Munger, office manager for the John Schoonmaker & Son of Newburgh, for whom he worked for the past 23 years, died Wednesday night of an attack of neuritis of the heart at his home. Dr. Schleiermacher, who was summoned, could do nothing to relieve Mr. Munger who was beyond help. He had performed his customary duties Wednesday. He was born in Newburgh 49 years ago. He took an active part in fraternal organizations and was a member of the Newburgh Wheelmen Club, the Veteran Firemen, Knights of Columbus and the Sons of the American Revolution.

He is survived by his wife, who was Margaret Rusk; four children, Harry, Jack, Florence and Margaret; one brother, Fred Munger, an executive of the Schoonmaker store. A solemn Mass of requiem will be offered for the repose of his soul Saturday at 10 a. m. in St. Mary's Church, Newburgh. Interment in Woodlawn Cemetery.

**No Sign of Grayson Plane**

The Dawn Last Reported Off Orleans, Mass., on Cape Cod—Weather Bureau Tried to Discern Mrs. Grayson from Making Trip.

New York, Dec. 24 (AP).—Mrs. Frances Wilson Grayson, who hopped off in her amphibian plane "The Dawn" for Newfoundland yesterday and failed to arrive at 7 a. m. today as scheduled, undertook the flight against the advice of the weather bureau. Dr. James H. Kimball, meteorologist, told the Associated Press.

He expressed slight hope that "The Dawn," despite its pontoons, could long withstand the buffeting of the waves, if as aviation observers agreed seemed likely, it made a force landing during the night somewhere between Cape Cod and the coast of Nova Scotia. With Mrs. Grayson were Oskar Omdal, pilot; Brice Goldsborough, navigator, and Fred Koehler, engine expert.

Mrs. Grayson took off from Roosevelt Field just after five o'clock yesterday. The last report of her came from the French cable company at Orleans, Mass., on Cape Cod, which told of her passing between seven and eight o'clock.

She was scheduled to reach Harbor Grace at about seven o'clock this morning. Long after that time no sign had been seen of her. Western Union advices from Hearts Continent, N. F. said a check of cable companies along the coast had revealed no sign of the plane.

"We did everything we could to dissuade Mrs. Grayson from attempting an ocean flight in winter," Dr. Kimball said, "but she was very determined and overrode our objections. In the first place we were against it because such a flight has never been made and while it is possible conditions might become favorable during the winter we did not believe they were so now."

"We have received weather reports from Europe and ships arriving during the past two weeks have told of unusually stormy conditions on the ocean," Dr. Kimball added. "Mrs. Grayson herself has recently made two stormy passages in liners and she took off with full knowledge of what conditions are. I certainly admire her courage but it seems here that she was facing almost insurmountable odds."

Dr. Kimball said however that it apparently was not wind that brought the Dawn down, if indeed it did make a landing. The wind from here to Newfoundland, during the night, he said, was light. He believed the chief danger on that first however, was "icing up" of the wings.

"When Mrs. Grayson headed out from Cape Cod, where she was last heard from," he said, "she started the 250 mile jump to Nova Scotia she was flying through freezing weather. There may have been some rain too. Formation of ice on the plane would have been quite possible despite the glycerine coating given the Dawn to prevent this danger."

The Rev. J. J. Field of New Jersey visited his sister, Mrs. Florence Coons of 194 Downs street.

Miss Lottie E. Jones of Washington, D. C., is spending the holidays at her home, 707 Broadway.

James Fitzgerald of 75 Hurley avenue, who has been quite ill for several weeks, is reported to be convalescing slowly.

Mrs. Arthur L. Smith of Jamaica, Long Island, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William R. Anderson of 16 Ponckhockie street.

Leo J. Doherty, a student at Tufts College, is spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Doherty, of Adams street.

Miss Florence DuMond of the recording staff of clerks at the Ulster county clerk's office is visiting her grandfather in Greater New York.

Roy Hume of the Thrift Bank of Brooklyn is spending the Christmas holiday season at the home of his father, Cornelius Hume, Main street.

McDonald L. Edinger of Providence, R. I., is spending Christmas at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Edinger, of 51 West Chester street.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Nestell of Brooklyn are spending the Christmas holiday season with his sister, Mrs. Joseph E. Hendricks, 72 Brewster street.

Gertrude Walker of the training class for nurses at Bellevue Hospital, New York city, is spending two weeks with her mother, Mrs. Andrew Walker, 133 Highland avenue.

Harry F. Edinger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Edinger, of 74 West Chester street is home for the holidays. He is taking a four years' course in civil engineering at Tufts College, Cambridge, Mass. He is a graduate of Kingston High School.

**Christmas Night In Bethlehem**

Pilgrims from Many Lands and Nations Gather to Worship at Shrine of the Saviour's Birth.

Bethlehem, Dec. 24 (AP).—The greatest Christmas story ever told will be re-enacted tonight in this little Palestine town of some 500 dull gray stone houses.

On the eve of the nativity all who are Christians and many who are not come to Bethlehem to worship at the shrine of the Saviour's birth. It is not far from Jerusalem.

The roadway for days has been a congested mass of traffic and will be until after Christmas. It requires a strong imagination to realize that this is the same road traveled by the Three Wise men from the East, who came to welcome the Saviour with gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh. The very road itself is different. The dusty path trod 1,927 years ago by the Wise Men is now a modern, asphalted highway.

The surrounding fields, grazing ground for sheep and goats, have changed, too, but in a lesser degree. A few villas, the homes of Bethlehemites who made small fortunes in the manufacture of soap in the United States, stand the surrounding farms. Otherwise the fields are the same in which Ruth followed the gleaners to wrest from them food and romance.

Where Shepherds Watched.

Near Bethlehem on the rounded breast of a great hill, there stands a walled enclosure of two or three acres, planted thickly with olive trees and other luxuriant growths in startling contrast to the bareness of the surrounding hills. This is the field where the shepherds watched their flocks on the first Christmas eve.

Here, says St. Luke, "The angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them; and they were sore afraid."

"And the angel said unto them, fear not; for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David, a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord. And this shall be a sign unto you; Ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger."

Pilgrims Follow Same Route.

And so the shepherds, filled with wonder, started out for Bethlehem over the same route the pilgrims and other visitors are traveling today.

From the field where the shepherds watched the star of the east, one soon reaches the heart of Bethlehem. The town retains its ancient appearance with its narrow, winding, ill-paved alleys through which a carriage or automobile can scarcely squeeze.

Today the citizens of Bethlehem are unmistakable with their plump, un-Arab-like faces, blue eyes and often fair hair—legacies left by the crusaders from the north.

The stately Bethlehem women are attractive and often beautiful. Their headresses, tall and tapering and draped in white, are oddly like those depicted in the illustrated manuscripts of the early ages or which are associated with the time of Chaucer.

Christmas Crowds Reverent.

Reverently the Christmas crowds cluster about the three Christian patriarchs—Orthodox, Armenian or Latin—whenever they appear on the streets in their slow moving cars and dressed in their most sumptuously bejeweled vestments. They are followed by their attendant archbishops, bishops or archimandrites also decked out in their brightest and best.

From the narrow, twisting lanes the way leads into a great open square before the Church of the Nativity, where is located a cluster of buildings in the spot where Jesus Christ was born.

And the Firemen Agree.

An ounce of prevention is worth fifty firemen.—American Magazine.

**Last Chance to Talk to Santa**

Children who have not talked with Santa Claus will have their last chance tonight, Christmas eve. The Downtown Business Men's Association will entertain Santa at the stores in that section of the city tonight and wish every little boy and girl to help.

The merchants say that it will be a good opportunity for the children to tell the jolly old fellow the things they wish for Christmas. The merchants downtown also wish families who cannot afford Christmas trees to call at the stores and apply for one. The trees that now stand on the sidewalks in front of the various stores will be given away tonight. Although many of the trees have been promised, there still remain a number to be given away.

**City Hall Bids To Be Opened**

Tuesday evening the common council will hold a special meeting at the Municipal Building for the purpose of opening the bids for the plumbing, heating and water service in the reconstruction of the city hall which was damaged by fire last June. Bids for the general contract were opened early this week, and it is expected that the contract will be awarded shortly.

**River and Creek Were Frozen Over**

The cold weather that enveloped the city and vicinity Friday afternoon and night caused the Hudson river and the Rondout creek to be frozen over from shore to shore for the first time this season. The ice, however, was not heavy and was soon broken up by the tugs and ferry plying back and forth. Later in the day both river and creek were filled with floating ice.

**PETER FUSS PLEADED GUILTY; IS FINED \$30**

Peter Fuss of Highland pleaded guilty to reckless driving in police court this morning and was fined \$30 by Judge Shufeldt. Mr. Fuss was arrested on Main street Friday night by Officer Fatum following a collision between the Fuss car and that of N. B. Gross of Fair street, which was parked at the curb in front of the entrance to the Kingston Trust Company.

Christmas Trees Free.

Albert J. Raichle, grocer, of 26 Ravine street, has 40 Christmas trees which he will give away this evening. Anyone who wishes a tree free may call at Mr. Raichle's store and pick out the one desired.

**New York Egg Market.**

New York, Dec. 24 (AP).—Eggs irregular; receipts 10,012. Fresh gathered, extra first, 45c@48c; do firsts, 43c@44c; nearby henery browns, extras, 55c.

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**WEATHER OUTLOOK FOR COMING WEEK**

Weather outlook for week beginning Monday:  
North and Middle Atlantic States:  
Period of snow over north and snow or rains over south portion Tuesday or Wednesday and again toward end of week. Moderately cold most of week.

**DIED.**

BURR—Entered into rest, Saturday, December 24, 1927, Anna Burr, wife of the late Theron Burr. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral from the home of her niece, Mrs. Caroline Schaezel, No. 31 South Clinton avenue, Monday morning at 9:15 and 10 at St. Peter's Church, Rosendale. Interment in St. Peter's Cemetery, Rosendale.

SIMMONS—In this city, December 23, 1927, Julia A., widow of the late John E. Simmons. Funeral Monday from the parlors of W. N. Conner, No. 302 Fair street, at 10 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment in Woodstock cemetery.

In Memoriam.  
In sad and loving memory of my beloved husband Thomas C. Roosa, who departed this life December 24







SATURDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1927.

Sun rises 7:36, sets 4:23.  
Weather clear.  
The lowest point registered by the thermometer last night was 12 degrees. The highest point reached up until 10:00 was 29 degrees.

Weather Forecast.  
Washington, Dec. 24.—Eastern New York: Fairly cloudy and calm with light rain and drizzle, strong northwest wind this afternoon, diminishing tonight.

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### LAST NIGHT on the RADIO

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In addition to candy, one could hear from rugs, soap, the laxative, typewriters, chewing gum, restaurants and washing powder at great length, providing the fading would permit.

WEAF was like the little girl who had a little curl in the middle of her forehead—when it was good it was very good indeed and when it was bad it was horrid. It was horrid about half of the evening. WGY was very much the same.

A multi-radio program will be presented in the Atwater Kent Hour, Sunday night, January 1, at 9:15, when Mary Lewis, famed soprano of the Metropolitan Opera, will be assisted by a male chorus of sixteen voices and the Atwater Kent orchestra. The lovers of male quartets will find a musical treat in this Atwater Kent Glee Club which is more than a quartet—a double octette made up of New York's famous University Glee Club members as selected by Reinhold Werrenrath, the popular baritone.

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### Flashes of Life Sketched in Brief

(By The Associated Press.)  
New York.—The cause of a famous editorial on Santa Claus now gladdens the heart of childhood herself. In 1957 Virginia O'Hanlon, then eight years old, wrote the New York Sun asking if there were a Santa Claus. Never having forgotten what she read in reply, Mrs. Virginia O'Hanlon Douglas, school teacher mother, tells her public school pupils at this season in effect that in all this world there is nothing else real and abiding. Children in various institutions also know of Santa Claus through her.

Washington.—Besides whittling and fishing after March 4, 1929, Mr. Coolidge will have opportunity to hunt. He has received a Christmas present of a gun. It seems that before he took up fishing he began to study tackle.

New York.—Fifty-four years ago an institution in San Francisco opened its doors to a boy of ten and cared for him. Now Santa Claus is bringing most of \$2,000,000 estate to the Pacific Hebrew Orphan Asylum and Home Society. It is a bequest of Rube Robert Fogel, who amassed a fortune dealing in imitation jewels.

New York.—The World and the Times, which are friendly to Governor Smith, say that Tammany objects to proposals that the Democratic national convention be in Detroit. The reason assigned is that Detroit's neighbors are too wet; drier Cleveland is preferred. There is a five-cent fare from Detroit to Windsor, Ont.

Mexico City.—Lindy is a double ace. The expression is used in dominoes now.

New York.—It will be Miss Thyra Samter Winslow professionally, but otherwise Mrs. Nelson W. Hyde. At least, "until the death of love do part" her and her second husband. The quoted words are from the ritual of the novelist's latest marriage ceremony. She and her husband hope to love each other forever.

### Many Persons Unable to Distinguish Colors

It is a curious fact that color-blind persons are not often aware of their defect of vision. Even scientific men frequently fail to detect this defect in themselves.

The following is a favorite theory to account for the cause of color-blindness. The eye is capable of four distinct color sensations—blue, yellow, red and green. These arise, however, from only two sources, each of which has a double action, producing the sensations of two complementary colors. One of the sources of sensation corresponds to blue and yellow, the other to red and green. Most color-blind people are deficient in the latter source of sensation and can distinguish, therefore, only blue and yellow, with their compounds, but sometimes the reverse is the case.

The number of persons afflicted in this way is much larger than is commonly supposed. The average is said to be one in every 25 men. Women are rarely troubled with color-blindness.

### Few Really Contented With Place in Life

Perhaps we humans have no greater weakness than this: we rarely know when we are well off. We seem to lack the kind of judgment we need to convince us that we had better let well enough alone, is a reflection made by Grove Patterson, in the Mobile Register. We are forever wanting to try something different, something new. Much of our path through life leads from the frying pan into the fire and out again.

"I have learned," said the very wise St. Paul, "in whatsoever state I am, therein to be content."

Some comfort is to be had in the thought that through our tendency to change from one thing to another we occasionally hit upon improvement. But the policy we need most is that which leads us to make a complete and thorough job of the thing we are doing in the particular circumstances in which we find ourselves.

### No Cheers

The only shower Tilla Tilla was given after she announced her engagement was the cold water thrown on the proposition by the old folks.—Farm and Fireside.

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**SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT**  
By F. A. WALKER

FROM NEWS COLUMNS

IF YOU read the papers carefully you have learned that down in New Mexico they crucified two persons some time ago as a part of a religious rite; that over in Spain they stabbed an old woman to death because the people in her village believed that she was a witch; that in one state a man killed and buried a dozen or more negroes because they did not work as he thought they should; that a young man killed and robbed his aged grandmother; that in China there are millions of people dying of starvation.

Those are just a few of the things that are considered important enough to put on the first pages of the country's greatest papers for your reading and comment.

As you read those items you must have asked yourself two or three questions.

You must have said, "Ought we to call ourselves civilized when such things happen? Are we really progressing toward perfection or are we going backward toward savagery?"

There is a theory, which of course has not been proven, that the human race develops in waves.

There is a great surge toward the ideal man and then that is followed with a retrogression toward the primitive cave man with his crude, unbridled passions, his lack of culture and his absence of regard for his fellow.

Which way are we headed now? Are we on the up grade or have we reached the peak and begun the descent?

Killing an aged woman for witchery certainly is not advancing. Crucifying a human being, even as a part of a religious rite, is not an evidence of civilization.

Killing a man because he does not labor to suit you, or killing him for any reason at all, is not an index of a higher culture or an increasing moral sense.

To let millions of people starve in China, while there is plenty in America is not a very hearty application of the command to love your neighbor as yourself.

Whether the day will ever come when such a condition will exist the most of the world would doubt.

It is more than two thousand years since the command was given and we have not yet gone very far in making its obedience universal.

If perchance you should be one who thinks we have, read over again the list of news items recited in the first paragraph at the top of this column and then see if you still hold to your opinion.

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**Song of Praise**  
"Hallelujah," or "Hallelolah" as it is sometimes spelled, literally means "Praise ye Jah." "Jah" being a variation of the Hebrew word "Jehovah." A song or exclamation of gratitude or praise to God is called a hallelujah.

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